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Princeton Theological Seminary
September 11–17, 2005

◆ 11 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Dean Thomas Breidenthal
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 12 Monday

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Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

9:30 a.m. **Continuing Education Event—"World Christianity through World Literature"**
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Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

11:30 a.m. **Federal Work Study Job Fair**
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 13 Tuesday

8:00 p.m. **Academic Convocation—"For Helen Katherine Jones"**
Iain R. Torrance, president and professor of patristics, speaker
Miller Chapel

◆ 14 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Opening Communion Service**
Jacqueline Lapsley, associate professor of Old Testament, preaching; Iain Torrance, president and professor of patristics, presiding
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

Committee and Departmental Meetings

2:30 p.m. Faculty Session with Attorney
Main Lounge

◆ 15 Thursday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Maren Betts-Sonstegard, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

◆ 16 Friday

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Gordon S. Mikoski, PTS's instructor of Christian Education, leader
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Darrell Guder, dean of academic affairs and the Henry Winters Luce Professor of Missional and Ecumenical Theology
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Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Monday, September 12

Continuing Education Event—"World Christianity through World Literature"

Erdman Hall *9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

One might expect that Christianity, a religion that transcends the boundaries of geography, culture, and religion, would by now have found a place in world literatures and not only in the literatures of the West. That is in fact the case; in some, especially those of colonial and postcolonial Africa, the missionary is a familiar and representative figure, welcome and unwelcome, on the edges where indigenous cultures and religions collide with Christianity. While the seminar mainly focuses on non-Western literatures, the legacy of our own will be considered. We start in the 18th century with one of English literature's most-read stories, *Robinson Crusoe,* which exemplifies Defoe's vision for the Christianization of the earth at the very inception of the Protestant missionary endeavor. Participants will receive a brief list of recommended readings in advance.

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Federal Work Study Job Fair

Main Lounge *11:30 a.m.–1:00 p.m.*

Community service organizations in the Princeton area participating in the Federal Work Study program will be on campus for an informal gathering to talk about the work their organizations do.

This is a terrific opportunity for Federal Work Study-eligible students to obtain a work study position and/or volunteers to make a difference in the lives of people in our community.

Contact: Lisa Lamon
Phone: 497-7805

◆ Friday, September 16

Continuing Education Event—"Baptism and Eucharist: Paradigm for Education and Life"

Erdman Hall *9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

What does it mean to live baptismally? What ethical demands arise from participation in the Eucharist? How can we teach young and old alike to celebrate and live into the meaning of baptism and the Lord's Supper in all their fullness? Protestant Christian education has been developed primarily in relation to the Word. Without diminishing the ongoing relevance of the Word for the church's educational ministry, this workshop will explore the possibilities for creative initiatives in Christian education in reference to the sacraments of baptism and the Lord's Supper. In conversation with the catechumenate of the early church as well as Calvin's Geneva, participants will explore both the educational dimensions of worship and the liturgical dimensions of education. Participants will have opportunities to identify creative possibilities for relating sacraments and pedagogy in their own contexts of ministry. This Christian education event is supported through the generosity of the First Presbyterian Church in Ann Arbor, Michigan, in recognition of the significant role Christian education plays in the life of the church.

Gordon S. Mikoski, PTS instructor of Christian education, will lead this event.

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Contact: President's Office
Phone: 497-7800

◆ Tuesday, September 20
Gallery Talk and Reception for Dallas Piotrowski, artist
Erdman Hall *4:30–5:45 p.m.*
A gallery talk and reception for artist Dallas Piotrowski, whose exhibit "Birds" is on display in the Erdman Gallery, will be held in the gallery.
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Wholistic Health Initiative Meeting
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *1:00 p.m.*
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Contact: Bill McLean
Email: william.mclean@ptsem.edu

◆ Thursday, September 22
Theological Students Fellowship (TSF) Speaker Series—"Why a Theological Education?"
Main Lounge *12:30–1:30 p.m.*
Dr. Ellen Charry, PTS's Margaret W. Harmon Associate Professor of Systematic Theology, will present a lecture titled "Why a Theological Education?" based on her article on theological education in last spring's *Princeton Theological Review*. She is currently working on a book titled *God and the Art of Happiness*.
Contact: Chris Peterson
Phone: 720-1722

General ❖ Notices

◆ Interfaith Hospitality Network
The Interfaith Hospitality Network houses three homeless families in local churches for one week at a time. Volunteers are needed for two-hour shifts or overnight from 9:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Nassau Presbyterian Church is hosting the week of September 11, and Trinity Episcopal Church is hosting the week of September 18. Anyone interested in helping should call Janet Lawrence Nelson at 732-565-9290. Help is especially needed with moving out on September 18 at 8:00 a.m.

◆ Vocal Placements and Auditions
Vocal placements and auditions for all Seminary choirs will take place on Monday, September 12 through Thursday, September 15. Even if you have sung previously in the choirs or have registered for choir as a course (WR812), you must come for a placement meeting with Martin Tel in order to be in a choir. Choir information and sign-up sheets are posted in the reception area of Scheide Hall.
Contact: Teresa Heyer
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Save the Arctic Rally
You can help save the Arctic from oil drilling. Since this section of the Arctic is part of the Wilderness Preservation System and considered a study area, we want to keep the government from opening the area to oil drilling, which would have several adverse effects on the native people and culture, and on the environment.
There will be tables set up outside the Main Dining Room this week with more information and an opportunity to send a letter to your senator or representative encouraging them to vote against this bill on September 20. There will also be a bus leaving PTS on the 20th for a rally in Washington, D.C.
For more information, email Becky Ensley at rebecca.ensley@ptsem.edu or go to the web site www.savethearctic.com.

◆ Student Leadership at PTS!
A reminder to all new *and* returning students that PTS student government elections are just around the corner! Being a part of student government is a great way to get involved and make a difference in the PTS community.
The following positions are open for candidates: two junior representatives, one middler representative, one senior representative, one Th.M. representative, one Ph.D. representative, one Alexander Hall representative, one Brown Hall representative, one Hodge Hall representative, one CRW representative, one Tennent/Roberts Halls representative, one Witherspoon Apartments representative, and one off-campus representative.
Petitions are available beginning Wednesday, September 14 in the Office of Student Affairs (210

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Templeton Hall) and are due Friday, September 23. Student government elections will be held Wednesday, September 28.

Please contact Jessica Hauser-Brydon at jess.hauser-brydon@ptsem.edu with any questions.

◆ Fulbright Grant Competition

Announcement has been made of the opening of the 2006–2007 competition for Fulbright grants for graduate study abroad. The purpose of these grants is to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and people of other countries through the exchange of persons, knowledge, and skills. Applicants must be U.S. citizens and are required to have sufficient proficiency in the language of the host country to carry out their proposed study or research.

Information and applications may be found online at http://www.fulbrightonline.org/us/home.html. Please contact Professor Charlesworth, Fulbright campus advisor, at 497-7720, for further details. The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, September 23.

Contact: James H. Charlesworth
Phone: 497-7720

◆ Introduction to Spiritual Direction

The Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement is offering students and spouses the opportunity to participate in spiritual direction groups. The groups are led by trained directors from the Princeton area and meet for 90 minutes every other week. Participants listen for God's voice through prayer, silence, and sharing. The cost is $75 per semester. To learn more about spiritual direction and the groups available, bring your lunch and come to the Main Lounge on Monday, September 26 at 12:40 p.m. Spiritual directors will be there to answer questions. You may sign up for a group at that time or by stopping by the Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement, 201 Templeton Hall.

Contact: Carol Belles
Phone: 497-7882

◆ Friday, November 4 and Saturday, November 5

A Retreat—"Come to the Table, Sharing Stories from the Journey"

The PCUSA Racial Ethnic Young Women Together (REYWT) is hosting a retreat-style gathering, "Come to the Table, Sharing Stories from the Journey," Friday, November 4 and Saturday, November 5 in Louisville, Kentucky.

For more information, go to www.pcusa.org/reywt or call the REYWT office at 888-728-7228, extension 5361. Or you can contact Cathy Chang at catherine.chang@ptsem.edu or 609-937-0838. Financial assistance may be available to participants.

◆ Help Needed in Educational Media

Educational Media still has a few openings for part-time student staff positions, but they are filling up quickly! Duties include general media services support; audio and video recording and duplication; equipment set-ups and assistance; and customer service in the Media Center. Hours are flexible, and though experience is preferred, we provide training. Stop by the Media Center in Templeton Hall for more information or to pick up an application or contact Doug Gist at 497-7900.

◆ Housing and Auxiliary Services Announcements

Summer Blood Drive

We would like to thank everyone who participated in the summer blood drive. A total of 44 pints of blood was collected.

Seminary Drivers Needed

Student drivers are needed for airport and train station arrivals and departures for Seminary guests. Flexible hours, good pay. Apply to Stephen Cardone, director of housing and auxiliary services, 203 Templeton Hall.

Dormitory Room Change

Dormitory residents who wish to change their rooms may sign up at the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services beginning Monday, September 12. Room changes are based on availability and a first-come, first-served, basis.

Lockers Available

Lockers are available for commuters, Tennent residents, and West Windsor campus residents. The lockers are located in the basement of Stuart Hall. Please stop by the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services, 203 Templeton Hall, if you are interested in a locker.

Change Machine

Bill changers are located in the basements of Hodge Hall, Roberts Hall, Stuart Hall, and also at the CN Center. They dispense quarters only and will accept denominations of $1, $5, $10, and $20 bills.

Housing Resident Assistants

The housing resident assistants for this academic year are:

Dormitories
Alexander Hall
Matt Laubenstein, Room 111, 240-2225
Brown Hall
Patrick Dennis, Room 201, 240-5934
Hodge Hall
Angela Davis, Room 315A, 601-807-8359

Witherspoon Apartments
Helen Harrison Coker, 401 Emmons Drive, #219

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Roberts/Tennent Apartments
Matthew Porter, 100 Stockton Street, #206, 279-0638

CRW Apartments
William Barnett, 304 Emmons Drive, #1A, 514-0644
John Beeson, 206 Loetscher Place, #8B, 419-8898
Susan Bratt, 208 Loetscher Place, #21, 240-2054
Jeff Myers, 307 Emmons Drive, #3A, 720-0131

The housing resident assistants act as liaisons between residents and the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services and the Facilities Office. They communicate information to and from residents and assist in answering questions regarding policy, procedures, rules, and regulations.

Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

◆ Part-Time Lunch Aide Needed

The Carol Gray Dupree Center for Children is in need of a part-time lunch aide from 11:15 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. daily. The aide will assist in helping the children with their lunches, playground supervision, toileting, patting children to sleep, and helping the teachers prepare for future classes. For more information or to apply for the position, please contact Dian Wisdom at 951-9866.

◆ Student Photographer Needed to Join Communications/Publications Photography Staff

The Communications/Publications Office is seeking an entering junior to join their photography staff. Experience a must!—digital, color, and black and white photography. Availability to shoot on-campus events, faculty photos, and other projects. Knowledge of photography databases (Mac-based) a plus, but not necessary. Position immediately available. Please supply sample photographs.

For more information, please stop by the Communications/Publications Office located at 301 Templeton Hall, call 497-7760, or email michelle.roemer-schoen@ptsem.edu.

Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, September 18

Contemporary Worship Service
Nassau Christian Center *9:45 a.m.*
26 Nassau Street, Princeton

Weekly contemporary worship expressly for PTS and Princeton University students and faculty starts at 9:45 a.m. on Sunday, September 18 at the Nassau Christian Center. This is a nondenominational service hosted by the Christian Union at Princeton University. Dress is casual and lunch will be served afterward. For more information, contact Win Green at 921-7918.

◆ Friday, September 23 through Sunday, September 25

"Transforming Violence into Wholeness"—A Nonviolence Training Event
Frederick Presbyterian Church, 115 West 2nd Street, Frederick, Maryland

The PTS community is invited to attend a nonviolence training event hosted by Frederick Presbyterian Church in Frederick, Maryland.

"Transforming Violence into Wholeness" explores the spirituality and practice of active nonviolence. Event participants will deepen their understanding and application of active nonviolence by examining the prevalence of violence, interpreting the principles of nonviolence, studying the dynamics of social movements, extending community-building, and developing an action plan. It is built on teachings of Jesus Christ, examines current Christian practices, and studies the dynamics of social movements developed by leaders such as Martin Luther King Jr.

The training is expansive, incorporating multicultural and religious understanding and examples from the work of Gandhi and other nonviolence leaders around the world. Using an interactive, popular education approach to learning, the training involves participants and elicits information from them through a variety of media and using different learning styles. It will ground participants in the creative, liberating, and democratic power of active nonviolence that can transform individuals, relationships, systems, and cultures.

The registration fee for this event is $70 and includes six meals. The event schedule is as follows:

Friday, September 23	5:30–9:30 p.m.
Saturday, September 24	8:30 a.m.–9:30 p.m.
Sunday, September 25	9:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.

This event is sponsored by Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in association with the Fellowship of Reconciliation (FOR) in Nyack, New York. For more information about registering, contact Alice McGee of the Presbytery of Baltimore at 410-433-2012. For training specifics, contact Nancy Fayer at 410-750-1479, and for directions, accommodations, etc., contact Dan Frasier at 301-662-4430.

Space is limited and registration will be accepted on a first-come, first-served, basis.

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◆ 21 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Deacon Commissioning**
Jubilate Deo and Cantate Domino Choirs
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

1:00 p.m. **Wholistic Health Initiative Meeting**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
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Committee and Departmental Meetings

3:30 p.m. Black Concerns Council
Alexander Hall Oratory

3:30 p.m. Asian, Pacific, and Asian American Council, *Luce 60*

3:30 p.m. Women in Church and Ministry Council, *Lawder Conference Room, Templeton Hall*

3:30 p.m. Latino/a Concerns Council
Templeton 302

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Kristin Saldine, minister of the chapel
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Contact: Chris Peterson
Phone: 720-1722

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A Concert of Piano Quartets with the Fiat Lux Chamber Players
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *7:30 p.m.*

The Seminary community is invited to a concert of piano quartets by the Fiat Lux Chamber Players. Featured will be the Mozart Piano Quartet in G

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minor, the Mahler Piano Quartet in A minor, and the Schumann Piano Quartet in E-flat. Holly Chatham will perform on the piano, Patrick Wood on violin, Michael Nicholas on viola, and Ole Eirik Ree on cello. This concert is the group's debut performance.

Fiat Lux Chamber Players seeks to bring the diverse world of chamber music to a wider audience. Its founders, Holly Chatham and James Wood Uribe, have performed with such distinguished artists as the Amadeus Quartet, the Takacs Quartet, Kenneth Cooper, members of the Emerson String Quartet and of the Academy of St. Martin-in-the-Fields, and conductors Christopher Hogwood, Stanley Ritchie, Paul Hillier, and Simon Standage.

There are a limited number of complimentary passes available to members of the Seminary community. If you would like a complimentary pass, please stop by the Chapel Office or call.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Saturday, September 24

Zydeco and Jambalaya Festival to Benefit the Victims of Hurricane Katrina

Seminary Quad *12:00–3:00 p.m.*

The tastes and sounds of Louisiana will come to the PTS quadrangle on September 24 from 12:00 to 3:00 p.m. at the Zydeco and Jambalaya Festival. The festival will benefit the victims of Hurricane Katrina through funds raised for Presbyterian Disaster Assistance.

The festival will feature Louisiana-style faire such as jambalaya, French bread, and sweet tea, and the music of the Mitchell's Cajun Aces zydeco band. A suggested $5 donation will be collected at the entrance to the festival.

For more information about the festival, please email or call Will Shurley.

Contact: Will Shurley
Phone: 254-717-7216
Email: william.shurley@ptsem.edu

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ Monday, September 26

Biblical Studies Department Lecture—"The Death of Jesus: Reviewing the History"

Main Lounge *4:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to attend a lecture titled "The Death of Jesus: Reviewing the History," given by The Reverend John R. Donahue, S.J., the Raymond E. Brown Distinguished Professor of New Testament Studies, Emeritus, at St. Mary's Seminary and University in Baltimore, Maryland.

Contact: Michael Davis
Phone: 497-7835

◆ Thursday Evenings, September 29, October 6, 13, and 20

Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"

Erdman Hall *7:15–9:30 p.m.*

In this Thursday night series for laity, the discussion will center on how early Christians in the Roman Empire faced a pressing question: How are those who confess Jesus as Lord to live in a world that seems to be ruled by other powers—political, economic, and social?

In this four-week course, two of Paul's shorter letters will be examined, devoting special attention to the social, political, and economic worlds of the early Christians. As we gain a deeper understanding of these letters in their ancient contexts, we will also ask how the gospel should shape the public life of Christian communities today.

J. Ross Wagner, PTS associate professor of New Testament, will lead this event.

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◆ Monday, October 3 through Thursday, October 6

Stone Lectures—"Jesus in New Testament Christology"

Main Lounge

Dr. Leander E. Keck, this year's Stone Lecturer, is the Winkley Professor Emeritus of Biblical Theology at Yale University Divinity School.

Keck is the author of several books on the New Testament, a former editor of a monograph series for the Society of Biblical Literature, and the convener of the editorial board of the prominent *New Interpreter's Bible* (Abingdon, 1994–2002), and has been a leader in the field of biblical theology for many years.

After receiving his Ph.D. from Yale University in 1957, he taught at Wellesley College, Vanderbilt University Divinity School, and both at Emory University's Candler School of Theology and its Graduate School before returning to Yale in 1979 to serve as dean of the Divinity School, a post he held for ten years. He has received numerous honors and invitations to give prestigious lectureships in theology and religion both in the United States and abroad.

The lecture schedule is as follows:

Lecture I
Monday, October 3 at 7:00 p.m., followed by a reception in the Private Dining Room
"The Task of New Testament Christology"

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Lecture II
Tuesday, October 4 at 1:15 p.m.
"Jesus and God's Rectitude: Romans"

Lecture III
Tuesday, October 4 at 7:00 p.m.
"Jesus and Our Rectitude: Matthew"

Lecture IV
Wednesday, October 5 at 7:00 p.m.
"Jesus and the Exegesis of God: John"

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"The Task of the Interpreter"

For more information, please contact the Communications/Publications Office.
Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

General ❖ Notices

◆ Interfaith Hospitality Network

The Interfaith Hospitality Network houses three homeless families in local churches for one week at a time. Volunteers are needed for two-hour shifts or overnight from 9:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. Trinity Episcopal Church is hosting the week of September 18. Anyone interested in helping should call Janet Lawrence Nelson at 732-565-9290. Help is especially needed with moving out on September 18 at 8:00 a.m.

◆ Karl Barth Student Reading Group

Center of Theological Inquiry 7:30–9:00 p.m.
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

All Seminary students, including M.Div., Ph.D., and others, are invited to take part in the Karl Barth Student Reading Group, held on selected Mondays of the fall semester. The topic for the reading group is *Church Dogmatics,* volume two, part two, pages 509–542. This is the section on Theocentric Ethics: The Command of God. George Hunsinger, PTS's McCord Professor of Systematic Theology, will be the convener. The schedule is as follows:

Session 1 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 509–515)
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Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 252-2114

◆ *Princeton Theological Review*

The *Princeton Theological Review* is a semi-annual, student-run publication that exists to serve the Seminary community by providing a resource that challenges, informs, and equips people to be more effective and faithful witnesses to the Lord Jesus Christ. The theme for the fall issue is ecclesiology. You are invited to contribute to this theme in one of three ways: by writing an article or submitting a paper you have already written that is appropriate for the theme (4,000–5,000 words), by responding to an article by writing a reflection (approximately 2,000 words), or by writing a book review.

The deadline for article submission is Saturday, October 1. Other materials must be submitted by Tuesday, November 1.

To respond to an article or to write a book review, or if you have any other questions, please contact Shelli Messner at 955-9110 for further details. Please take advantage of these opportunities to shape the growth and life of the PTS community!

◆ Save the Arctic Rally

You can help save the Arctic from oil drilling. Since a section of the Arctic is part of the Wilderness Preservation System and considered a study area, we want to keep the government from opening the area to oil drilling, which would have several adverse effects on the native people and culture, and on the environment.

There will be tables set up outside the Main Dining Room this week with more information and an opportunity to send a letter to your senator or representative encouraging them to vote on September 20 against a bill to permit drilling. There will also be a bus leaving PTS on the 20th for a rally in Washington, D.C.

For more information, email Becky Ensley at rebecca.ensley@ptsem.edu or go to the web site www.savethearctic.com.

◆ Student Leadership at PTS!

A reminder to all new *and* returning students that PTS student government elections are just around the corner! Being a part of student government is a great way to get involved and make a difference in the PTS community.

The following positions are open for candidates: two junior representatives, one middler representative, one senior representative, one Th.M. representative, one Ph.D. representative, one Alexander Hall representative, one Brown Hall representative, one Hodge Hall representative, one CRW representative, one Tennent/Roberts Halls representative, one Witherspoon Apartments representative, and one off-campus representative.

Petitions are available in the Office of Student Affairs (210 Templeton Hall) and are due Friday, September 23. Student government elections will be held Wednesday, September 28.

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Please contact Jessica Hauser-Brydon at jess.hauser-brydon@ptsem.edu with any questions.

◆ Fulbright Grant Competition

Announcement has been made of the opening of the 2006–2007 competition for Fulbright grants for graduate study abroad. The purpose of these grants is to increase mutual understanding between the people of the United States and people of other countries through the exchange of persons, knowledge, and skills. Applicants must be U.S. citizens and are required to have sufficient proficiency in the language of the host country to carry out their proposed study or research.

Information and applications may be found online at http://www.fulbrightonline.org/us/home.html. Please contact Professor Charlesworth, Fulbright campus advisor, at 497-7720, for further details. The deadline for submitting applications is Friday, September 23.

Contact: James H. Charlesworth
Phone: 497-7720

◆ Introduction to Spiritual Direction

The Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement is offering students and spouses the opportunity to participate in spiritual direction groups. The groups are led by trained directors from the Princeton area and meet for 90 minutes every other week. Participants listen for God's voice through prayer, silence, and sharing. The cost is $75 per semester. To learn more about spiritual direction and the groups available, bring your lunch and come to the Main Lounge on Monday, September 26 at 12:40 p.m. Spiritual directors will be there to answer questions. You may sign up for a group at that time or by stopping by the Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement, 201 Templeton Hall.

Contact: Carol Belles
Phone: 497-7882

◆ Friday, November 4 and Saturday, November 5

A Retreat—"Come to the Table, Sharing Stories from the Journey"

The PCUSA Racial Ethnic Young Women Together (REYWT) is hosting a retreat-style gathering, "Come to the Table, Sharing Stories from the Journey," Friday, November 4 and Saturday, November 5 in Louisville, Kentucky.

For more information, go to www.pcusa.org/reywt or call the REYWT office at 888-728-7228, extension 5361. Or you can contact Cathy Chang at catherine.chang@ptsem.edu or 609-937-0838. Financial assistance may be available to participants.

◆ Help Needed in Educational Media

Educational Media still has a few openings for part-time student staff positions, but they are filling up quickly! Duties include general media services support; audio and video recording and duplication; equipment set-ups and assistance; and customer service in the Media Center. Hours are flexible, and though experience is preferred, we provide training. Stop by the Media Center in Templeton Hall for more information or to pick up an application, or contact Doug Gist at 497-7900.

◆ Housing and Auxiliary Services Announcements

Summer Blood Drive

We would like to thank everyone who participated in the summer blood drive. A total of 44 pints of blood was collected.

Seminary Drivers Needed

Student drivers are needed for airport and train station arrivals and departures for Seminary guests. Flexible hours, good pay. Apply to Stephen Cardone, director of housing and auxiliary services, 203 Templeton Hall.

Dormitory Room Change

Dormitory residents who wish to change their rooms may sign up at the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services. Room changes are based on availability and a first-come, first-served, basis.

Lockers Available

Lockers are available for commuters, Tennent residents, and West Windsor campus residents. The lockers are located in the basement of Stuart Hall. Please stop by the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services, 203 Templeton Hall, if you are interested in a locker.

Change Machine

Bill changers are located in the basements of Hodge Hall, Roberts Hall, Stuart Hall, and also at the CN Center. They dispense quarters only and will accept denominations of $1, $5, $10, and $20 bills.

Housing Resident Assistants

The housing resident assistants for this academic year are:

Dormitories
Alexander Hall
Matt Laubenstein, Room 111, 240-2225
Brown Hall
Patrick Dennis, Room 201, 240-5934
Hodge Hall
Angela Davis, Room 315A, 601-807-8359

Witherspoon Apartments
Helen Harrison Coker, 401 Emmons Drive, #219
Roberts/Tennent Apartments
Matthew Porter, 100 Stockton Street, #206, 279-0638

CRW Apartments
William Barnett, 304 Emmons Drive, #1A, 514-0644
John Beeson, 206 Loetscher Place, #8B, 419-8898

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Susan Bratt, 208 Loetscher Place, #21, 240-2054
Jeff Myers, 307 Emmons Drive, #3A, 720-0131

The housing resident assistants act as liaisons between residents and the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services and the Facilities Office. They communicate information to and from residents and assist in answering questions regarding policy, procedures, rules, and regulations.

Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

◆ Part-Time Lunch Aide Needed

The Carol Gray Dupree Center for Children is in need of a part-time lunch aide from 11:15 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. daily. The aide will assist in helping the children with their lunches, playground supervision, toileting, patting children to sleep, and helping the teachers prepare for future classes. For more information or to apply for the position, please contact Dian Wisdom at 951-9866.

◆ Student Photographer Needed to Join Communications/Publications Photography Staff

The Communications/Publications Office is seeking an entering junior to join their photography staff. Experience a must!—digital, color, and black and white photography. Availability to shoot on-campus events, faculty photos, and other projects. Knowledge of photography databases (Mac-based) a plus, but not necessary. Position immediately available. Please supply sample photographs.

For more information, please stop by the Communications/Publications Office located at 301 Templeton Hall, call 497-7760, or email michelle.roemer-schoen@ptsem.edu.

◆ Reigner Reading Room's New Location

The Charles G. Reigner Christian Education Reading Room is now located in the Robert E. Speer Library on the main floor behind the media lab and across from reference. The hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. We welcome your presence—please stop by on your next visit to the libraries. The telephone number for the Reigner Reading Room is 497-7916.

◆ Fall Pool Hours

The pool is open for the fall. Open swim hours are as follows:

Monday	3:30–9:30 p.m.
Tuesday	10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 4:30–8:30 p.m.
Wednesday	10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 3:30–9:30 p.m.
Thursday	4:30–8:30 p.m.
Friday	10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 4:30–6:00 p.m.
Saturday	12:00–6:00 p.m.
Sunday	12:00–3:00 p.m.

Please observe the rules and policies of the pool. They are there for the safety of all.

Contact: Susan E. Molloy
Phone: 497-7778

◆ Academic Affairs Announcements

Senior Class Fellowships

Seniors: Are you writing a senior thesis for course credit? If so, and if you have been in residence as a middler, you are invited to enter your thesis in competition for a senior class fellowship for the pursuit of advanced study in Old Testament, New Testament, the Department of History, the Department of Theology, the Department of Practical Theology, and the Program in Religion and Society. Each fellowship carries an honorarium of $3,000.

Senior and Middler Prizes
The Robert L. Maitland Prizes in New Testament Exegesis and English Bible

The sum of $1,000 will be given for the best exegesis of a passage of the New Testament. The passage for 2005–2006 must be related to the death of Jesus in the New Testament.

The sum of $1,000 will be given for the best essay on an assigned subject in English Bible. The topic for 2005–2006 is "Jew and Gentile: God, God's People, and the Nations."

The John Finley McLaren Prize in Biblical Theology

The sum of $1,000 will be awarded for the best essay on an assigned subject in biblical theology. The subject for 2005–2006 is "God and Human Suffering."

The candidate must indicate to the Office of the Dean of Academic Affairs, 126 Administration Building, his or her intention to submit a thesis in competition and must specify the area in which it is to be considered. The deadline is Saturday, April 1, 2006.

Two copies of the thesis without grade or other markings, and showing the name(s) of the professor(s) under whose direction it was written, must be delivered to the Office of Academic Affairs by 9:00 a.m. on the last day of classes, Friday, April 21, 2006.

For more detailed instructions on submitting essays for prizes, please refer to the current issue of the Seminary catalogue, pages 211–222.

Contact: Betty Angelucci
Phone: 497-7815

Off-Campus ◆ Events

◆ Sunday, September 18

Contemporary Worship Service

Nassau Christian Center *9:45 a.m.*
26 Nassau Street, Princeton

Weekly contemporary worship expressly for PTS and Princeton University students and faculty starts at

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9:45 a.m. on Sunday, September 18 at the Nassau Christian Center. This is a nondenominational service hosted by the Christian Union at Princeton University. Dress is casual, and lunch will be served afterward. For more information, contact Win Green at 921-7918.

◆ **Friday, September 23 through Sunday, September 25**
"Transforming Violence into Wholeness"—A Nonviolence Training Event
Frederick Presbyterian Church, 115 West 2nd Street, Frederick, Maryland

The PTS community is invited to attend a nonviolence training event hosted by Frederick Presbyterian Church in Frederick, Maryland.

"Transforming Violence into Wholeness" explores the spirituality and practice of active nonviolence. Event participants will deepen their understanding and application of active nonviolence by examining the prevalence of violence, interpreting the principles of nonviolence, studying the dynamics of social movements, extending community-building, and developing an action plan. It is built on teachings of Jesus Christ, examines current Christian practices, and studies the dynamics of social movements developed by leaders such as Martin Luther King Jr.

The training is expansive, incorporating multicultural and religious understanding and examples from the work of Gandhi and other nonviolence leaders around the world. Using an interactive, popular education approach to learning, the training involves participants and elicits information from them through a variety of media and using different learning styles. It will ground participants in the creative, liberating, and democratic power of active nonviolence that can transform individuals, relationships, systems, and cultures.

The registration fee for this event is $70 and includes six meals. The event schedule is as follows:

Friday, September 23	5:30–9:30 p.m.
Saturday, September 24	8:30 a.m.–9:30 p.m.
Sunday, September 25	9:00 a.m.–6:30 p.m.

This event is sponsored by Good Shepherd Lutheran Church in association with the Fellowship of Reconciliation (FOR) in Nyack, New York. For more information about registering, contact Alice McGee of the Presbytery of Baltimore at 410-433-2012. For training specifics, contact Nancy Fayer at 410-750-1479, and for directions, accommodations, etc., contact Dan Frasier at 301-662-4430.

Space is limited and registration will be accepted on a first-come, first-served, basis.

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Princeton Theological Seminary
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◆ 25 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Dean Thomas Breidenthal
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 26 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
George Hunsinger, Hazel Thompson McCord Professor of Systematic Theology
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. ***Princeton Theological Review* Informational Meeting**
Main Dining Room
(see "This Week's Events")

4:30 p.m. **Biblical Studies Department Lecture—"The Death of Jesus: Reviewing the History"**
The Reverend John R. Donahue, S.J., the Raymond E. Brown Distinguished Professor of New Testament Studies, Emeritus, St. Mary's Seminary and University, Baltimore, Maryland, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 27 Tuesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Shauna Hannon, Ph.D. candidate
Miller Chapel

◆ 28 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Hymn Sing**
Kristin Saldine, minister of the chapel
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

Committee and Departmental Meetings

1:30 p.m. History Department, *Stevenson Lounge, Mackay Campus Center*
1:30 p.m. Biblical Department, *Alexander Hall Oratory*
1:30 p.m. Practical Theology Department *Luce 156*
1:30 p.m. Theology Department, *Stuart 14*
4:00 p.m. Church and Society Committee *Luce 268*
4:00 p.m. Barth Center Governors, *Luce 350*

◆ 29 Thursday

Princeton Seminar on campus through Sunday, October 2
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Iain Torrance, president and professor of patristics
Miller Chapel

12:00 p.m. **Women's Center Open House**
Basement of Mackay Campus Center
(see "This Week's Events")

7:00 p.m. **Theological Students' Fellowship Informational Meeting**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

7:15 p.m. **Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"**
J. Ross Wagner, PTS associate professor of New Testament, leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 30 Friday

8:00 a.m. **Administrative and Professional Staff Breakfast Meeting**
Main Lounge

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Garrett Bugg, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

Submit notices online! Deadline, Mondays at noon.
http://home.ptsem.edu/wineskin/request_form.htm

To Student Organizations, Faculty, and Staff:
Please submit any meetings that occur regularly at the same time each week to *Wineskin* for the "Regularly Scheduled Meetings" page. After this issue, the weekly meetings will NOT be listed in the calendar, but on the "Regularly Scheduled Meetings" page.
Contact Michelle Roemer Schoen at 497-7760 or email michelle.roemer-schoen@ptsem.edu with any questions.
Thank you!

This Week's ❖ Events

◆ Monday, September 26
***Princeton Theological Review* Informational Meeting**
Main Dining Room *12:30 p.m.*

The Seminary community is invited to an informational meeting for those interested in becoming staff members. Signs will be posted in front of the Main Dining Room with the location of the meeting.

Contact: Shelli Messner
Phone: 955-9110

◆ Monday, September 26
Biblical Studies Department Lecture—"The Death of Jesus: Reviewing the History"
Main Lounge *4:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to attend a lecture titled "The Death of Jesus: Reviewing the History" given by The Reverend John R. Donahue, S.J., the Raymond E. Brown Distinguished Professor of New Testament Studies, Emeritus, at St. Mary's Seminary and University in Baltimore, Maryland. This lecture is sponsored by the Biblical Studies Department.

Contact: Michael Davis
Phone: 497-7835

◆ Thursday, September 29 through Sunday, October 2
Princeton Seminar
Thursday, 10:00 a.m.–Sunday, 12:30 p.m.

Please greet and meet our Princeton Seminar guests, who will be on campus enjoying the first seminar for prospective students of this academic year.

Contact: Violet Hertrich or Victor Aloyo
Phone: 688-1940

◆ Thursday, September 29
Women's Center Open House
Basement of Mackay *12:00–1:30 p.m.*
Campus Center

The PTS community is invited to the Women's Center Open House. Come and see our new and improved space, meet other PTS women students and faculty, find out how to get involved in the Women's Center, and enjoy baked goods from the Women's Center board. The Women's Center will have a table outside the Main Dining Room this week with information on the Women's Center mission and activities.

Contact: Amy Morgan
Phone: 917-902-4846

◆ Thursday, September 29
Theological Students' Fellowship Informational Meeting
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *7:00 p.m.*

Theological Students' Fellowship (TSF) is an organization of PTS students gathered around a confession of the Lordship of Jesus Christ as reflected in Scripture, who recognize our call to minister to one another and to the PTS community as led by the Holy Spirit.

TSF seeks to serve this community through sponsoring the Well, publishing the *Princeton Theological Review,* bringing speakers on campus, and organizing prayer groups. In addition, they seek to be an organization of Christ-centered community. Come and learn more about the opportunities and fellowship of TSF.

Contact: Michael Gross
Phone: 612-386-0284

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, October 2, Monday, October 3, and Tuesday, October 4
Spirituality Centers
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
6:30–9:00 p.m. (Sunday)
9:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m. (Monday and Tuesday)

The PTS community is invited to participate in a unique opportunity that incorporates creativity and faith formation. Worship in the modern church is evolving and expanding. The spirituality center concept, providing a worship space to pray, meditate, and encounter God, can be adapted to many different populations and can be easily set up in a variety of settings. Come experience and discover how to create your own spirituality center and provide a quiet place of relaxation and renewal in a world often filled with stress and confusion.

Also, the Seminary's labyrinth will be open from 9:30 a.m to 3:30 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday in the Gambrell Room of Scheide Hall. It will serve as one of the spirituality centers.

This program is sponsored by PTS's Wholistic Health Initiative. For more information, please email Bill McLean.

Contact: Bill McLean
Email: william.mclean@ptsem.edu

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◆ Monday, October 3

Continuing Education Event—"Healing Liturgies for the Seasons of Life"

Erdman Hall *9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

This workshop will examine the role Christians play in the healing ministry of the church in individual lives and in the community as a whole, as well as the interrelationships between worship and pastoral care. Demonstrations of liturgies for birth through death, illness, divorce, job loss, animal protection, domestic violence, reconciliation, midlife transition, and other life situations will form part of the workshop. These will be drawn from Abigail Rian Evans's book, *Healing Liturgies for the Seasons of Life.* Attendees of Evans's seminar will also participate in the spirituality centers (see "Spirituality Centers" event listed above).

Evans, PTS's Charlotte W. Newcombe Professor of Practical Theology and academic coordinator of field education, will lead this event. Evans is also clinical professor of medicine (adjunct) at Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.

PTS students, staff, and faculty, and their spouses are invited to attend Continuing Education events, but advanced registration is required. Most events are free of charge, but some restrictions do apply. Please contact Continuing Education for more information.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Monday, October 3 through Thursday, October 6

Stone Lectures—"Jesus in New Testament Christology"

Main Lounge

Dr. Leander E. Keck, this year's Stone Lecturer, is the Winkley Professor Emeritus of Biblical Theology at Yale University Divinity School.

Keck is the author of several books on the New Testament, a former editor of a monograph series for the Society of Biblical Literature, and the convener of the editorial board of the prominent *New Interpreter's Bible* (Abingdon, 1994–2002), and has been a leader in the field of biblical theology for many years.

After receiving his Ph.D. from Yale University in 1957, he taught at Wellesley College, Vanderbilt University Divinity School, and both at Emory University's Candler School of Theology and its Graduate School before returning to Yale in 1979 to serve as dean of the Divinity School, a post he held for ten years. He has received numerous honors and invitations to give prestigious lectureships in theology and religion both in the United States and abroad.

The lecture schedule is as follows:

Lecture I
Monday, October 3 at 7:00 p.m., followed by a reception in the Private Dining Room
"The Task of New Testament Christology"

Lecture II
Tuesday, October 4 at 1:15 p.m.
"Jesus and God's Rectitude: Romans"

Lecture III
Tuesday, October 4 at 7:00 p.m.
"Jesus and Our Rectitude: Matthew"

Lecture IV
Wednesday, October 5 at 7:00 p.m.
"Jesus and the Exegesis of God: John"

Lecture V
Thursday, October 6 at 1:15 p.m.
"The Task of the Interpreter"

For more information, please contact the Communications/Publications Office.
Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

◆ Wednesday, October 5

Theological Students' Speaker Series—"Slaves, Servants, and Students: African Americans at Princeton Theological Seminary through the Eyes of Theodore Sedgwick Wright"

Main Lounge *12:30 p.m.*

The life and work of African Americans at PTS prior to the outbreak of the American Civil War will be the topic of an upcoming lecture by the Reverend Daniel Morrison, pastor of Huntington Valley Presbyterian Church in Huntington Valley, Pennsylvania.

At the heart of Morrison's lecture is the life and work of Theodore Sedgwick Wright, an African American who graduated from PTS in 1828. Wright was the first African American to graduate from any seminary and is the first African American to receive a graduate-level education in the United States.

Please come and learn more about this important part of PTS history!

Contact: Chris Peterson
Phone: 720-1722

◆ Thursday, October 6 through Friday, October 7

Continuing Education Event—"Contemporary Faith Communities: Facing Conflict"

Erdman Hall

10:45 a.m. (Thursday)–3:00 p.m. (Friday)

Today's pastor is challenged by a rapidly changing religious landscape in an increasingly pluralistic society. Conflicts and realignments within and between different religious groups, and between religious groups and the cultural context, demand both sensitivity and strength from religious leaders.

This seminar explores the changing context of ministry and the essential areas of growth for today's religious leader.

Session One explores the newly emerging context

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of pastoral ministry, the limits of traditional approaches in a changing cultural context, and the negative consequences when pastors and congregations resist change and growth.

Session Two offers essential areas of growth for the contemporary religious leader and characteristics to strive for in an open, viable, and healthy 21st- century faith community.

Peter Bridge, clinical director of the Samaritan Counseling Center of Southeastern Pennsylvania, will lead this event.

PTS students, staff, and faculty, and their spouses are invited to attend Continuing Education events, but advanced registration is required. Most events are free of charge, but some restrictions do apply. Please contact Continuing Education for more information.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Thursday, October 6
Episcopal and Anglican Gathering
Ellen Charry's Home *4:00 p.m.*
104 Mercer Street, Princeton

All Episcopal, Anglican, and interested members of the PTS community are invited to the home of Ellen Charry for wine and cheese and to meet one another and the Episcopal chaplain to PTS, Father Steve White. R.S.V.P.s are a must.

Contact: Ellen Charry
Email: ellen.charry@ptsem.edu

◆ Thursday, October 6
Public Lecture—"A Christian Public Philosophy"
Center of Theological Inquiry *8:00 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

The Center of Theological Inquiry presents a public lecture by Richard John Neuhaus. Father Neuhaus is acclaimed as one of the foremost authorities on the role of religion in the contemporary world and is president of The Institute on Religion and Public Life, a nonpartisan interreligious research and education institute in New York City. He is also the editor-in-chief of the institute's publication, *First Things: A Monthly Journal of Religion, Culture, and Public Life.* He has played a leadership role in organizations dealing with civil rights, international justice, and ecumenism.

A reception will follow the lecture. Due to limited seating, admission is by free ticket only. Please contact the Center of Theological Inquiry for more information or to obtain a ticket.

Contact: Heather Kaemingk
Phone: 683-4797
Email: hkaemingk@ctinquiry.org

◆ Saturday, October 8
Joe R. Engle Organ Concert featuring Organist Diane Bish
Miller Chapel *7:30 p.m.*

PTS presents the Joe R. Engle Organ Concert, featuring world-renowned organist Diane Bish. The concert will also include choral anthems composed by Bish and sung by PTS's Cantate Domino Choir, as well as hymns sung by the audience.

This concert has been generously underwritten by PTS benefactor Joe R. Engle, who also donated the pipe organ housed in Miller Chapel.

For a free ticket to the concert, please contact the Chapel Office. Entrance to the concert is only guaranteed for those holding tickets.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

General ❖ Notices

◆ Volunteers Needed
The Princeton Community of Faith is one of the founding groups of the Crop Walk event in New Jersey. The group is looking for volunteers to assist in the following areas on the day of the event, October 16.

- Put up signs to mark the route of the walk and then to take the signs down.
- Set up the registration table at 10,000 Villages' courtyard.
- Register the walkers. Smiling faces are needed to greet the walkers at the registration table and help the walk get going. Not all of the volunteers need to remain at the registration table during the walk. At least two people should be available to welcome back the walkers at the end and pass out certificates and snacks.
- Call the walkers together at 1:30 p.m. and start the event with prayer and expression of appreciation.
- Set up water tables and provide water to the walkers. The water stops are traditionally churches, and two churches should allow access to restrooms. This is a job that boy scouts and girl scouts can do.
- Take down the registration tables.
- Collect all the materials, including the envelopes.

For more information, contact Kae Kusterbeck at 609-924-6466 or 732-670-4701 or email her at kkusterbeck@churchworldservice.org.

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◆ *Princeton Theological Review*

The *Princeton Theological Review* is a semi-annual, student-run publication that exists to serve the Seminary community by providing a resource that challenges, informs, and equips people to be more effective and faithful witnesses to the Lord Jesus Christ. The theme for the fall issue is ecclesiology. You are invited to contribute to this theme in one of three ways: by writing an article or submitting a paper you have already written that is appropriate for the theme (4,000–5,000 words), by responding to an article by writing a reflection (approximately 2,000 words), or by writing a book review.

The deadline for article submission is Saturday, October 1. Other materials must be submitted by Tuesday, November 1.

To respond to an article or to write a book review, or if you have any other questions, please contact Shelli Messner at 955-9110 for further details. Please take advantage of these opportunities to shape the growth and life of the PTS community!

◆ Reigner Reading Room's New Location

The Charles G. Reigner Christian Education Reading Room is now located in the Robert E. Speer Library on the main floor behind the media lab and across from reference. The hours are Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and on Saturday from 9:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. We welcome your presence—please stop by on your next visit to the libraries. The telephone number for the Reigner Reading Room is 497-7916.

◆ Fall Pool Hours

The pool is open for the fall. Open swim hours are as follows:

Monday	3:30–9:30 p.m.
Tuesday	10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 4:30–8:30 p.m.
Wednesday	10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 3:30–9:30 p.m.
Thursday	4:30–8:30 p.m.
Friday	10:30 a.m.–12:00 p.m. and 4:30–6:00 p.m.
Saturday	12:00–6:00 p.m.
Sunday	12:00–3:00 p.m.

Please observe the rules and policies of the pool. They are there for the safety of all.

Contact: Susan E. Molloy
Phone: 497-7778

◆ Academic Affairs Announcements

Senior Class Fellowships

Seniors: Are you writing a senior thesis for course credit? If so, and if you have been in residence as a middler, you are invited to enter your thesis in competition for a senior class fellowship for the pursuit of advanced study in Old Testament, New Testament, the Department of History, the Department of Theology, the Department of Practical Theology, and the Program in Religion and Society. Each fellowship carries an honorarium of $3,000.

Senior and Middler Prizes

The Robert L. Maitland Prizes in New Testament Exegesis and English Bible

The sum of $1,000 will be given for the best exegesis of a passage of the New Testament. The passage for 2005–2006 must be related to the death of Jesus in the New Testament.

The sum of $1,000 will be given for the best essay on an assigned subject in English Bible. The topic for 2005–2006 is "Jew and Gentile: God, God's People, and the Nations."

The John Finley McLaren Prize in Biblical Theology

The sum of $1,000 will be awarded for the best essay on an assigned subject in biblical theology. The subject for 2005–2006 is "God and Human Suffering."

The candidate must indicate to the Office of the Dean of Academic Affairs, 126 Administration Building, his or her intention to submit a thesis in competition and must specify the area in which it is to be considered. The deadline is Saturday, April 1, 2006.

Two copies of the thesis without grade or other markings, and showing the name(s) of the professor(s) under whose direction it was written, must be delivered to the Office of Academic Affairs by 9:00 a.m. on the last day of classes, Friday, April 21, 2006.

For more detailed instructions on submitting essays for prizes, please refer to the current issue of

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the Seminary catalogue, pages 211–222.
Contact: Betty Angelucci
Phone: 497-7815

Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Friday, October 7

A Symposium—*The Invention of World Religions: Or, How European Universalism Was Preserved in the Language of Pluralism*

Princeton University, McCosh 50 *3:00 p.m.*

Professor Tomoko Masuzawa of the University of Michigan will respond to comments on her new book, *The Invention of World Religions: Or, How European Universalism Was Preserved in the Language of Pluralism.*

Comments will be offered by Sarah Coakley, the Edward Mallinckrodt Jr. Professor of Divinity at Harvard Divinity School in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and Richard King, associate professor of religious studies at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee.

Masuzawa is associate professor in the Program in Comparative Literature and the Department of History at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She received her Ph.D. from the University of California, in Santa Barbara, and is also the author of *In Search of Dreamtime: The Quest for the Origin of Religion* (1993).

The symposium is sponsored by the Center for the Study of Religion at Princeton University. For more information, contact Jenny Wiley Legath at 609-258-2281.

◆ Saturday, October 8

Conference on Economic Empowerment of Women

YMCA Princeton *8:30 a.m.*
59 Paul Robeson Place, Princeton

The YWCA Princeton is committed to bringing programs that focus on their national mission of eliminating racism and empowering women.

Please mark your calendars for this conference that will focus on the economic empowerment of women. Business and legal professionals from the Princeton-area community and beyond will pool their resources to educate you on financial planning.

Join them for a continental networking breakfast at 8:30 a.m. Keynote speaker Teena Cahill will start the program by speaking about "Wisdom for Women: Resilience, Power, and Purpose." Professionally guided breakout sessions will follow. The session choices are:

- Getting Started: for recent female college grads
- Planning on your own
- Planning with a partner
- Kids and money
- Investing 101
- Planning for change

The conference will wrap up with an informative panel discussion. All breakout instructors will be available for an interactive question-and-answer session. The YMCA's "Showcase Alley" of financial and community resources will be available for the duration of the event.

The registration fee is $25. For more information or to register for the conference, please call 497-2100.

◆ Princeton Country Dancers

Suzanne Patterson Center *8:00–10:30 p.m.*
Princeton (behind Borough Hall, near the intersection of Route 206 and Nassau Street)

Princeton Country Dancers is an open, community organization that carries on and promotes a tradition of American and English folk dancing, both historic and modern. Dances are held every Wednesday and most fourth Saturdays. The group primarily does contra dances, but with other types, like squares and couple dances, occasionally mixed in. Also, every month or two they do English country dances.

Contras are an old New England tradition, still evolving and growing in popularity. They are lively dances, done with a partner, but in long lines together with other dancers with whom each dancer interacts while moving up or down the set in the progression of the dance. Each dance is taught and walked through before starting, and prompted during the dance by a caller, so you can join in and have fun even if you are new.

The music for the dances is rooted in traditional reels and jigs, often with a modern twist, and includes recently composed tunes as well. The band is different every week, and about once a month the music is provided by a pick-up band, open to all musicians.

Although contra dancing is done with a partner, you don't have to bring your own. It is the custom to dance with a different person for each dance, and everyone is welcome.

Admission is $6 to $8. Students and seniors half-price with ID. The beginner's workshop starts at 7:40 p.m. For more information and/or to receive a schedule of events, contact Carol at 683-7956, Marge at 924-6763, or Steve at 275-7275, or visit their web site at www.princetonol.com/groups/pcd/.

◆ Quaker Friends Sunday Morning Meetings and Evening Potlucks

470 Quaker Road at Mercer Street/ Princeton Pike, Princeton

The PTS community is invited to attend Sunday morning worship meetings from 9:00–11:00 a.m. at the Princeton Friends Meeting House in Princeton. Worship meetings are wonderfully silent, sometimes for the whole hour; when strongly led by Spirit a Friend stands and speaks. Refreshments are served after the meeting.

Sunday evening potlucks (usually third Sundays)

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are from 5:45–8:30 p.m. at the Meeting House. Everyone is welcome whether you have something to bring or not. The remaining fall 2005 schedule is:

November 6
"Quaker Humor"
Stan Banker, from Indianapolis Friends Meeting and author of *Quaker Lite 2-1/2,* presents a program of music and Quaker humor.

November 20
"Elder Care"
Jane Fox LaQuer, director of Chandler Hall, talks about special ways Friends have developed over the last 25 years to care for the elderly.

December 18
"Musical Classics for Christmas"
Mary Ann Wallace's string trio presents a Christmas program.

For more information and/or to receive a schedule of events, contact Joy and Gale Smith at 921-6189, Art and Julie Manuel at 452-2824, or Rebecca Sylvan-Jaffe at 466-4415, or call the Meeting office at 924-5674.

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◆2 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Holy Communion**
Dean Deborah K. Blanks
Princeton University Chapel

6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. **Spirituality Centers**
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
(see "This Week's Events")

◆3 Monday

9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. **Spirituality Centers**
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
(see "This Week's Events")

9:30 a.m. **Continuing Education Event—"Healing Liturgies for the Seasons of Life"**
Abigail Rian Evans, PTS Charlotte W. Newcombe Professor of Practical Theology and academic coordinator of field education, leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
David Kahnt, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

7:00 p.m. **Stone Lectures—"Jesus in New Testament Christology"**
Lecture I—"The Task of New Testament Christology"
Dr. Leander E. Keck, Winkley Professor Emeritus of Biblical Theology, Yale University Divinity School, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

◆4 Tuesday

9:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. **Spirituality Centers**
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Rosh Hashanah Service**
Ellen Charry, Margaret W. Harmon Associate Professor of Systematic Theology
Miller Chapel

1:15 p.m. **Stone Lectures**
Lecture II—"Jesus and God's Rectitude: Romans"
Dr. Leander E. Keck, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

7:00 p.m. **Stone Lectures**
Lecture III—"Jesus and Our Rectitude: Matthew"
Dr. Leander E. Keck, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

8:00 p.m. **Seminarians Affirming Reproductive Choice Organizational Meeting**
Alexander Hall Oratory
(see "This Week's Events")

◆5 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Peter Henry, Ph.D. candidate; Chapel Choir
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Theological Students' Speaker Series—"Slaves, Servants, and Students: African Americans at Princeton Theological Seminary through the Eyes of Theodore Sedgwick Wright"**
The Reverend Daniel Morrison, pastor of Huntington Valley Presbyterian Church in Huntington Valley, Pennsylvania, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

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Submit notices online! Deadline, Mondays at noon.
http://home.ptsem.edu/wineskin/request_form.htm

Committee and Departmental Meetings

1:30 p.m. Chapel Committee, *Seminar Room Miller Chapel*
1:30 p.m. Admissions Committee *Templeton 302*
1:30 p.m. Library Committee, *Luce 156*
1:30 p.m. Planning and Development Committee, *President's Conference Room, Administration Building*
3:30 p.m. D.Min. Studies Committee *Luce 268*
3:30 p.m. Ph.D. Studies Committee, *Stuart 14*
3:30 p.m. Student and Academic Affairs Committee, *Lawder Conference Room, Templeton Hall*
3:30 p.m. Curriculum Committee, *President's Conference Room, Administration Building*

7:00 p.m. Stone Lectures
Lecture IV—"Jesus and the Exegesis of God: John"
Dr. Leander E. Keck, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 6 Thursday

10:00 a.m. Student Government Commissioning Service
Miller Chapel

10:45 a.m. (Thursday) to 3:00 p.m. (Friday) Continuing Education Event—"Contemporary Faith Communities: Facing Conflict"
Peter Bridge, clinical director of the Samaritan Counseling Center of Southeastern Pennsylvania, leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

1:15 p.m. Stone Lectures
Lecture V—"The Task of the Interpreter"
Dr. Leander E. Keck, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

4:00 p.m. Episcopal and Anglican Gathering
Ellen Charry's Home
104 Mercer Street, Princeton
(see "This Week's Events")

7:15 p.m. Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"
J. Ross Wagner, PTS associate professor of New Testament, leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

8:00 p.m. Public Lecture—"A Christian Public Philosophy"
Father Richard John Neuhaus, president of The Institute on Religion and Public Life in New York City, lecturer
Center of Theological Inquiry
50 Stockton Street, Princeton
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 7 Friday

10:00 a.m. Service of Worship
Patrick Johnson, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. Seminarians for Peace and Justice Weekly Meeting
Upper Right Balcony, Main Dining Room

◆ 8 Saturday

7:30 p.m. Joe R. Engle Organ Concert featuring Organist Diane Bish
Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

This Week's ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, October 2, Monday, October 3, and Tuesday, October 4

Spirituality Centers

Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
6:30–9:00 p.m. (Sunday)
9:00 a.m.–8:00 p.m. (Monday and Tuesday)

The PTS community is invited to participate in a unique opportunity that incorporates creativity and faith formation. Worship in the modern church is evolving and expanding. The spirituality center concept, providing a worship space to pray, meditate, and encounter God, can be adapted to many different populations and can be easily set up in a variety of settings. Come experience and discover how to create your own spirituality center and provide a quiet place of relaxation and renewal in a world often filled with stress and confusion.

Also, the Seminary's labyrinth will be open from 9:30 a.m to 3:30 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday in the Gambrell Room of Scheide Hall. It will serve as one of the spirituality centers.

This program is sponsored by PTS's Wholistic Health Initiative. Coordinators of this event are Mary Mohlke, coordinator of education and resource center director of the Presbytery of Western New York, and Wendy Evans, a church administrator in Birmingham, Alabama, with an M.A. in mental health counseling. For more information, please email Bill McLean.

Contact: Bill McLean
Email: william.mclean@ptsem.edu

◆ Monday, October 3

Continuing Education Event—"Healing Liturgies for the Seasons of Life"

Erdman Hall *9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

This workshop will examine the role Christians play in the healing ministry of the church in individual lives and in the community as a whole, as well as the interrelationships between worship and pastoral care. Demonstrations of liturgies for birth through death, illness, divorce, job loss, animal protection, domestic violence, reconciliation, midlife transition, and other life situations will form part of the workshop. These will be drawn from Abigail Rian Evans's book *Healing Liturgies for the Seasons of Life*. Attendees at Evans's seminar will also participate in the spirituality centers (see "Spirituality Centers" event listed above).

Evans, PTS's Charlotte W. Newcombe Professor of Practical Theology and academic coordinator of field education, will lead this event. Evans is also clinical professor of medicine (adjunct) at Robert Wood Johnson Medical School.

PTS students, staff, and faculty, and their spouses are invited to attend Continuing Education events, but advanced registration is required. Most events are free of charge, but some restrictions do apply. Please contact Continuing Education for more information.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Monday, October 3 through Thursday, October 6

Stone Lectures—"Jesus in New Testament Christology"

Main Lounge

Dr. Leander E. Keck, this year's Stone Lecturer, is the Winkley Professor Emeritus of Biblical Theology at Yale University Divinity School.

Keck is the author of several books on the New Testament, a former editor of a monograph series for the Society of Biblical Literature, and the convener of the editorial board of the prominent *New Interpreter's Bible* (Abingdon, 1994–2002), and has been a leader in the field of biblical theology for many years.

After receiving his Ph.D. from Yale University in 1957, he taught at Wellesley College, Vanderbilt University Divinity School, and both at Emory University's Candler School of Theology and its Graduate School before returning to Yale in 1979 to serve as dean of the Divinity School, a post he held for ten years. He has received numerous honors and invitations to give prestigious lectureships in theology and religion both in the United States and abroad.

The lecture schedule is as follows:

Lecture I
Monday, October 3 at 7:00 p.m., followed by a reception in the Private Dining Room
"The Task of New Testament Christology"

Lecture II
Tuesday, October 4 at 1:15 p.m.
"Jesus and God's Rectitude: Romans"

Lecture III
Tuesday, October 4 at 7:00 p.m.
"Jesus and Our Rectitude: Matthew"

Lecture IV
Wednesday, October 5 at 7:00 p.m.
"Jesus and the Exegesis of God: John"

Lecture V
Thursday, October 6 at 1:15 p.m.
"The Task of the Interpreter"

For more information, please contact the Communications/Publications Office.

Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

◆ **Tuesday, October 4**
Seminarians Affirming Reproductive Choice Organizational Meeting
Alexander Hall Oratory *8:00 p.m.*
Announcing the first organizational meeting of Seminarians Affirming Reproductive Choice (SARC) for the 2005–2006 academic year. We will be talking about the annual conference in Washington, D.C. in November (two free tickets to go!), participation in campus health fairs, guest speakers, and other issues of importance to you. Let's discover a faithful Christian response to this complex social issue together.
Contact: Laurie McKnight
Phone: 799-5794

◆ **Wednesday, October 5**
Theological Students' Speaker Series—"Slaves, Servants, and Students: African Americans at Princeton Theological Seminary through the Eyes of Theodore Sedgwick Wright"
Main Lounge *12:30 p.m.*
The life and work of African Americans at PTS prior to the outbreak of the American Civil War will be the topic of this lecture by the Reverend Daniel Morrison, pastor of Huntington Valley Presbyterian Church in Huntington Valley, Pennsylvania.
At the heart of Morrison's lecture is the life and work of Theodore Sedgwick Wright, an African American who graduated from PTS in 1828. Wright was the first African American to graduate from any seminary and is the first African American to receive a graduate-level education in the United States.
Please come and learn more about this important part of PTS history!
Contact: Chris Peterson
Phone: 720-1722

◆ **Thursday, October 6 through Friday, October 7**
Continuing Education Event—"Contemporary Faith Communities: Facing Conflict"
Erdman Hall
10:45 a.m. (Thursday)–3:00 p.m. (Friday)
Today's pastor is challenged by a rapidly changing religious landscape in an increasingly pluralistic society. Conflicts and realignments within and between different religious groups, and between religious groups and the cultural context, demand both sensitivity and strength from religious leaders.
This seminar explores the changing context of ministry and the essential areas of growth for today's religious leader.
Session One explores the newly emerging context of pastoral ministry, the limits of traditional approaches in a changing cultural context, and the negative consequences when pastors and congregations resist change and growth.
Session Two offers essential areas of growth for the contemporary religious leader and characteristics to strive for in an open, viable, and healthy 21st- century faith community.
Peter Bridge, clinical director of the Samaritan Counseling Center of Southeastern Pennsylvania, will lead this event.
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Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ **Thursday, October 6**
Episcopal and Anglican Gathering
Ellen Charry's Home *4:00 p.m.*
104 Mercer Street, Princeton
All Episcopal, Anglican, and interested members of the PTS community are invited to the home of Ellen Charry for wine and cheese and to meet one another and the Episcopal chaplain to PTS, Father Steve White. R.S.V.P.s are a must.
Contact: Ellen Charry
Email: ellen.charry@ptsem.edu

◆ **Thursday, October 6, 13, and 20**
Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"
Erdman Hall *7:15 p.m.*
Early Christians in the Roman Empire faced a pressing question: How are those who confess Jesus as Lord to live in a world that seems to be ruled by other powers—political, economic, and social? In this second installment of the four-week course, we will examine two of Paul's shorter letters, devoting special attention to the social, political, and economic worlds of the early Christians. As we gain a deeper understanding of these letters in their ancient contexts, we will also ask how the gospel should shape the public life of Christian communities today.
J. Ross Wagner, PTS's associate professor of New Testament, will lead this event.
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Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Thursday, October 6

Public Lecture—"A Christian Public Philosophy"

Center of Theological Inquiry *8:00 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

The Center of Theological Inquiry presents a public lecture by Richard John Neuhaus. Father Neuhaus is acclaimed as one of the foremost authorities on the role of religion in the contemporary world and is president of The Institute on Religion and Public Life, a nonpartisan interreligious research and education institute in New York City. He is also the editor-in-chief of the institute's publication, *First Things: A Monthly Journal of Religion, Culture, and Public Life*. He has played a leadership role in organizations dealing with civil rights, international justice, and ecumenism.

A reception will follow the lecture. Due to limited seating, admission is by free ticket only. Please contact the Center of Theological Inquiry for more information or to obtain a ticket.

Contact: Heather Kaemingk
Phone: 683-4797
Email: hkaemingk@ctinquiry.org

◆ Saturday, October 8

Joe R. Engle Organ Concert featuring Organist Diane Bish

Miller Chapel *7:30 p.m.*

PTS presents the Joe R. Engle Organ Concert, featuring world-renowned organist Diane Bish. The concert will also include choral anthems composed by Bish and sung by PTS's Cantate Domino Choir, as well as hymns sung by the audience.

This concert has been generously underwritten by PTS benefactor Joe R. Engle, who also donated the pipe organ housed in Miller Chapel.

For a free ticket to the concert, please contact the Chapel Office. Entrance to the concert is only guaranteed for those holding tickets.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ Monday, October 10

Biblical Studies Department Lecture—"Elements of Popular Piety in Jewish Psalms Interpretation"

Center of Theological Inquiry *4:30 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

The PTS community is invited to attend a lecture titled "Elements of Popular Piety in Jewish Psalms Interpretation" given by Alan Cooper, professor of Bible at The Jewish Theological Seminary and at neighboring Union Theological Seminary in New York City. This lecture is sponsored by the Biblical Studies Department.

Contact: Michael Davis
Phone: 497-7835

◆ Wednesday, October 12 through Friday, October 14

Continuing Education Event—"Emerging Worship"

Erdman Hall
10:00 a.m. (Wednesday)–12:15 p.m (Friday)

In September 2002, the Office of Theology and Worship of the Presbyterian Church (USA) began a project called the Emerging Worship Initiative that seeks to help the church respond to the cultural and ecclesial pressures for changes in worship. Instead of approaching worship with a prescribed model, this approach celebrates, nurtures, and shares worship that is authentic to our ancient and Reformed faith, while appropriate to our 21st-century context. In this event we will discuss our liturgical history, the changing climate of worship, and how the Emerging Worship Initiative encourages us to meet these challenges. However, most of the popular resources used in worship come from outside our tradition. How do we respond? How do we understand God at work shaping our lives through worship? How can we help each other create and share resources that emerge from a Reformed understanding of how God is at work today? This event is intended for anyone interested in worship, including members, pastors, musicians, and educators.

Charles (Chip) Andrus, associate for worship in the Office of Theology and Worship of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in Louisville, Kentucky, will lead this event.

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Phone: 497-7990

◆ Wednesday, October 12

Eighth Annual Wholistic Health Fair

Main Lounge *11:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to attend the Seminary's Eighth Annual Wholistic Health Fair. More than 25 different health practitioners will be on hand highlighting various aspects of caring for the body, mind, and spirit. Massage, spiritual direction sessions, blood pressure screenings, counseling resources, Reiki, aromatherapy, acupuncture, and nutrition information are just a few of the resources available for your exploration.

Please contact Carol Belles in the Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement (497-7882) if you would like to sign-up for a 30-minute introductory spiritual direction session during the fair.

This event is sponsored by the Wholistic Health Initiative. For more information and/or to volunteer to help at the fair, please email Robyn Shoaff.

Contact: Robyn Shoaff
Email: robyn.shoaff@ptsem.edu

◆ Wednesday, October 12

Orientation to PCUSA Ordination Process

Templeton 104 *1:30 p.m.*

Presbyterian Students! You are invited to an introduction to the ordination process led by Cathy Cook Davis, director of student relations and senior placement. The presentation will address the process, the paperwork, and the pitfalls of working with your CPM toward ordination. Anyone interested is welcome—junior PCUSA students are especially encouraged to attend.

Contact: Carol Belles
Phone: 497-7882

◆ Sunday, October 16

Lecture—"Princeton and the Founding of the Republic"

Miller Chapel *2:00 p.m.*

Mark Noll, professor of Christian thought at Wheaton College in Wheaton, Illinois, will describe the connections between college, town, and church in the era of the American Revolution. The lecture will focus on how the experiences of the Revolution worked a transforming effect on the College of New Jersey and the American Presbyterian church, of which the congregation in Princeton was an important part. In that transformation, the work of President John Witherspoon was critical, and so analyzing his many activities will be a major topic of concern.

This lecture is the first of a series sponsored by Witherspoon Street and Nassau Presbyterian Churches in celebration of 250 years of Presbyterian presence in Princeton.

Contact: James Moorhead
Phone: 497-7984

General ❖ Notices

◆ Karl Barth Student Reading Group

Center of Theological Inquiry *7:30–9:00 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

All Seminary students, including M.Div., Ph.D., and others, are invited to take part in the Karl Barth Student Reading Group held on selected Mondays of the fall semester. The topic for the reading group is *Church Dogmatics,* volume two, part two, pages 509–542. This is the section on Theocentric Ethics: The Command of God. George Hunsinger, PTS's McCord Professor of Systematic Theology, will be the convener. The remaining schedule is as follows:

Session 3 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 520–525)
October 3
Session 4 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 525–530)
October 10
Session 5 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 530–535)
October 17
Session 6 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 535–542)
October 31

Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 252-2114

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◆ Student Seminars

The Overseas Ministries Study Center will offer student seminars on world mission from January 2–6 and January 9–13, 2006. These two seminars present critical issues related to evangelism, theology, ethics, strategy, and spirituality. Additional information is available online at study@omsc.org, and application forms are available in the Office of Student Affairs, 210 Templeton Hall.

Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, October 2

Bread and Cup—A Multicultural Coffeehouse

The First Presbyterian Church *7:00–9:00 p.m.*
in Germantown, 35 West Chelten Avenue
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

The First Presbyterian Church in Germantown invites the PTS community to their coffeehouse featuring the Repstyles Break Dancers and Ramona Cecille, a liturgical and praise dancer, and an open mike for anyone who would like to express his/her talent.

Free admission and refreshments (contributions accepted). For more information, call 215-843-8811.

◆ Sabbath Days at Johnsonburg

Johnsonburg Presbyterian Center, 822 Route 519
Johnsonburg, New Jersey

The PTS community is invited to experience the rhythm of the seasons at Johnsonburg. Come apart for a day with God.

Clergy and laypersons will gather at 9:00 a.m. for meditation, at 12:00 p.m. for communion, and once again for closing worship before leaving at 4:00 p.m.

The rest of the day is for you to decide. Take time to read, reflect, pray, rest, walk the labyrinth, journal or seek spiritual direction. Bring your Bible and a journal or notebook. Reading and art materials will be provided. The schedule is as follows:

Fall Sabbath Day	Monday, October 3
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◆ Friday, October 7

"East West Encounter Symposium: Eastern and Western Perspectives on Spirituality, Healing, Mind-Body Issues, and World Peace"

Rutgers University *9:00 a.m.–5:30 p.m.*
Alexander Library, College Avenue
New Brunswick, New Jersey

The PTS community is invited to attend the "East West Encounter Symposium: Eastern and Western Perspectives on Spirituality, Healing, Mind-Body Issues, and World Peace," hosted by Rutgers University. The program is initiated by the Asian American Cultural Center as a learning opportunity complementary to the Dalai Lama's visit to Rutgers.

Speakers include Dr. Alan Wallace from the Institute for the Study of Consciousness in Santa Barbara, California, on the subject of "The Buddhist Investigation of Consciousness"; Dr. Peter Phan of Georgetown University in Washington, D.C. on the subject of "World Peace and the Dialogue Between Christianity and Buddhism"; and Dr. Bruno Bosacchi from Princeton University on the topic of "The East-West Encounter and the New Science."

Abigail Rian Evans, PTS Charlotte W. Newcombe Professor of Practical Theology and academic coordinator of field education, will cochair a panel "The East-West Encounter and the Revival of the Soul of Western Medicine" with Dr. Douglas Ziedonis from the University of Medicine and Dentistry in New Jersey.

Panel participants include the Reverend Darrell L. Armstrong, pastor of Shiloh Baptist Church in Trenton, New Jersey, Dr. Kevin Chen, associate professor of psychiatry, and Dr. Karen Lin, assistant professor of the Department of Family Medicine, at the University of Medicine and Dentistry in New Jersey, and the Reverend Charles J. Stephens, minister of the Unitarian Universalist Church in Titusville, New Jersey.

For more information, contact Abigail Rian Evans at 497-7972.

◆ Friday, October 7

A Symposium—*The Invention of World Religions: Or, How European Universalism Was Preserved in the Language of Pluralism*

Princeton University, McCosh 50 *3:00 p.m.*

Professor Tomoko Masuzawa of the University of Michigan will respond to comments on her new book, *The Invention of World Religions: Or, How European Universalism Was Preserved in the Language of Pluralism.*

Comments will be offered by Sarah Coakley, the Edward Mallinckrodt Jr. Professor of Divinity at Harvard Divinity School in Cambridge, Massachusetts, and Richard King, associate professor of religious studies at Vanderbilt University in Nashville, Tennessee.

Masuzawa is associate professor in the Program in Comparative Literature and the Department of History at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. She received her Ph.D. from the University of California, in Santa Barbara, and is also the author of *In Search of Dreamtime: The Quest for the Origin of Religion* (1993).

For more information, contact Jenny Wiley Legath at 609-258-2281.

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◆ 9 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
The Reverend Dr. Peter J. Gomes, Plummer Professor of Christian Morals and Pusey Minister, Harvard Memorial Church, Cambridge, Massachusetts
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 10 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Victor M. Wilson, alumni/ae trustee
Miller Chapel

4:30 p.m. **Biblical Studies Department Lecture—"Elements of Popular Piety in Jewish Psalms Interpretation"**
Alan Cooper, professor of Bible at The Jewish Theological Seminary and at neighboring Union Theological Seminary in New York City, lecturer
Center of Theological Inquiry 50 Stockton Street
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 11 Tuesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Faculty Installation
Chapel Choir
Miller Chapel

◆ 12 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Emerging Worship
Charles Andrus, associate for worship in the Office of Theology and Worship of the Presbyterian Church (USA); Omega Ensemble
Miller Chapel

10:00 a.m. (Wednesday) to 12:15 p.m. (Friday) **Continuing Education Event—"Emerging Worship"**
Charles Andrus, associate for worship in the Office of Theology and Worship of the Presbyterian Church (USA), leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

11:30 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. **Eighth Annual Wholistic Health Fair**
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

1:30 p.m. **Orientation to PCUSA Ordination Process**
Templeton 104
Cathy Cook Davis, director of student relations and senior placement, leader
(see "This Week's Events")

Committee and Departmental Meetings

1:30 p.m. Curriculum Committee, *President's Conference Room, Administration Building*
1:30 p.m. D.Min. Studies Committee, *Luce 268*
1:30 p.m. Library Committee, *Luce 156*
1:30 p.m. Kuyper Center Board, *Luce 368*
3:30 p.m. Faculty Meeting, *Main Lounge*

◆ 13 Thursday

Princeton Seminar on campus through Sunday, October 16
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Stephen Whitaker, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

5:45 p.m. **CPE Information Night**
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

7:15 p.m. **Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"**
J. Ross Wagner, PTS associate professor of New Testament, leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

7:30 p.m. **Systematic Theology Doctoral Work Meeting**
Adams House Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 14 Friday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Matthew Webber, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Seminarians for Peace and Justice Weekly Meeting**
Upper Right Balcony, Main Dining Room

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Submit notices online! Deadline, Mondays at noon.
http://home.ptsem.edu/wineskin/request_form.htm

Continuing Education Events

PTS students, staff, and faculty, and their spouses are invited to attend Continuing Education events, but advanced registration is required. Most events are free of charge, but some restrictions do apply. Please contact Continuing Education for more information.

This Week's ❖ Events

◆ Monday, October 10

Biblical Studies Department Lecture—"Elements of Popular Piety in Jewish Psalms Interpretation"

Center of Theological Inquiry *4:30 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

The PTS community is invited to attend a lecture titled "Elements of Popular Piety in Jewish Psalms Interpretation" given by Alan Cooper, professor of Bible at The Jewish Theological Seminary and at neighboring Union Theological Seminary in New York City. This lecture is sponsored by the Biblical Studies Department.

Contact: Michael Davis
Phone: 497-7835

◆ Wednesday, October 12 through Friday, October 14

Continuing Education Event—"Emerging Worship"

Erdman Hall
10:00 a.m. (Wednesday)–12:15 p.m (Friday)

In September 2002, the Office of Theology and Worship of the Presbyterian Church (USA) began a project called the Emerging Worship Initiative that seeks to help the church respond to the cultural and ecclesial pressures for changes in worship. Instead of approaching worship with a prescribed model, this approach celebrates, nurtures, and shares worship that is authentic to our ancient and Reformed faith, while appropriate to our 21st-century context.

In this event we will discuss our liturgical history, the changing climate of worship, and how the Emerging Worship Initiative encourages us to meet these challenges. This event is intended for anyone interested in worship, including members, pastors, musicians, and educators.

Charles (Chip) Andrus, associate for worship in the Office of Theology and Worship of the Presbyterian Church (USA) in Louisville, Kentucky, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Wednesday, October 12

Eighth Annual Wholistic Health Fair

Main Lounge *11:30 a.m.–2:00 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to attend the Seminary's Eighth Annual Wholistic Health Fair. More than 25 different health practitioners will be on hand to highlight various aspects of caring for the body, mind, and spirit. Massage, spiritual direction sessions, blood pressure screenings, counseling resources, Reiki, aromatherapy, acupuncture, and nutrition information are just a few of the resources available for your exploration.

Please contact Carol Belles in the Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement (497-7882) if you would like to sign-up for a 30-minute introductory spiritual direction session during the fair.

This event is sponsored by the Wholistic Health Initiative. For more information and/or to volunteer to help at the fair, please email Robyn Shoaff.

Contact: Robyn Shoaff
Email: robyn.shoaff@ptsem.edu

◆ Wednesday, October 12

Orientation to PCUSA Ordination Process

Templeton 104 *1:30 p.m.*

Presbyterian Students! You are invited to an introduction to the ordination process led by Cathy Cook Davis, director of student relations and senior placement. The presentation will address the process, the paperwork, and the pitfalls of working with your CPM toward ordination. Anyone interested is welcome—junior PCUSA students are especially encouraged to attend.

Contact: Carol Belles
Phone: 497-7882

◆ Thursday, October 13 through Sunday, October 16

Princeton Seminar

Thursday, 10:00 a.m.–Sunday, 12:30 p.m.

Please greet and meet our Princeton Seminar guests, who will be on campus enjoying the second seminar for prospective students of this academic year.

Contact: Violet Hertrich or Victor Aloyo
Phone: 688-1940

◆ Thursday, October 13

CPE Information Night

Main Lounge *5:45–7:00 p.m.*

Students who are interested in Clinical Pastoral Education (CPE) for summer 2006 or academic year 2006–2007 are invited to learn about the application process and different CPE options, as well as to hear about the experiences of students who have completed CPE. Refreshments will be served. CPE information packets will be distributed.

Contact: Carol Belles
Phone: 497-7882

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◆ **Thursday, October 13 and 20**
Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"
Erdman Hall *7:15 p.m.*

Early Christians in the Roman Empire faced a pressing question: How are those who confess Jesus as Lord to live in a world that seems to be ruled by other powers—political, economic, and social?

In this third installment of the four-week course, we will examine two of Paul's shorter letters, devoting special attention to the social, political, and economic worlds of the early Christians. As we gain a deeper understanding of these letters in their ancient contexts, we will also ask how the gospel should shape the public life of Christian communities today.

J. Ross Wagner, PTS's associate professor of New Testament, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ **Thursday, October 13**
Systematic Theology Doctoral Work Meeting
Adams House Lounge *7:30–9:00 p.m.*

A special meeting will take place for all M.Div. middlers who think they might like to continue for doctoral work in the field of systematic theology. The meeting will be led by Professors Ellen Charry and George Hunsinger and by Keith Johnson, teaching fellow for TH222.

Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 252-2114

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ **Sunday, October 16**
Lecture—"Princeton and the Founding of the Republic"
Miller Chapel *2:00 p.m.*

Mark Noll, professor of Christian thought at Wheaton College in Wheaton, Illinois, will describe the connections between college, town, and church in the era of the American Revolution. The lecture will focus on how the experiences of the Revolution worked a transforming effect on the College of New Jersey and the American Presbyterian church, of which the congregation in Princeton was an important part. In that transformation, the work of President John Witherspoon was critical, and so analyzing his many activities will be a major topic of concern.

This lecture is the first of a series sponsored by Witherspoon Street and Nassau Presbyterian Churches in celebration of 250 years of Presbyterian presence in Princeton.

Contact: James Moorhead
Phone: 497-7984

◆ **Tuesday, October 18**
Continuing Education Event—"Love Builds Up!" Kierkegaard on Preaching as Spirituality Uplifting Speech
Erdman Hall *9:00 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

Kierkegaard's thought was arguably the dominant feature on the European theological landscape during the first half of the last century, though he was most famous for, and perhaps most often misunderstood because of, his pseudonymous writings. Lesser known are the discourses (what we might call "lay sermons") he published under his own name, yet to those who are familiar with them, and to Kierkegaard himself, they best represent his own earnest (non-ironic) thought. The aim of the discourses is the loving encouragement or "upbuilding" of the reader, the "single individual," to whom the discourse is addressed directly and intimately on matters of the Christian faith, hope, and love.

This event, which includes both lecture and discussion, will (1) give an overview of Kierkegaard's total output, (2) clarify the categories at play in Kierkegaard's authorship, (3) suggest to the homiletically concerned reader possible avenues of approach and helpful reading strategies, and (4) offer norms that can guide the sermon toward the aim of spiritual formation, i.e., by means of "faith working through love."

Timothy Matthew Slemmons, a Presbyterian minister and Kierkegaard scholar, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ **Wednesday, October 19**
Senior Placement Orientation
Stuart 6 *1:30–3:00 p.m.*

Seniors: This meeting, led by Cathy Cook Davis, director of student relations and senior placement, will orient you to the placement assistance you will need during the academic year. Please mark the date on your calendar.

Contact: Patricia Korsak
Phone: 497-7781

General ❖ Notices

◆ **Karl Barth Student Reading Group**
Center of Theological Inquiry *7:30–9:00 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

All Seminary students, including M.Div., Ph.D., and others, are invited to take part in the Karl Barth Student Reading Group held on selected Mondays of the fall semester. The topic for the reading group is *Church Dogmatics,* volume two, part two, pages 509–542. This is the section on Theocentric Ethics: The Command of God. George Hunsinger, PTS's McCord Professor of Systematic Theology, will be the convener. The remaining schedule is as follows:

Session 4 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 525–530)
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Session 5 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 530–535)
October 17
Session 6 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 535–542)
October 31

Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 252-2114

◆ *Princeton Theological Review*

The *Princeton Theological Review* is a semi-annual, student-run publication that exists to serve the Seminary community by providing a resource that challenges, informs, and equips people to be more effective and faithful witnesses to the Lord Jesus Christ. The theme for the fall issue is ecclesiology. You are invited to contribute to this theme by responding to an article by writing a reflection (approximately 2,000 words), or by writing a book review. Materials must be submitted by Tuesday, November 1.

To respond to an article or to write a book review, or if you have any other questions, please contact Shelli Messner at 955-9110 for further details. Please take advantage of these opportunities to shape the growth and life of the PTS community!

◆ Student Seminars

The Overseas Ministries Study Center will offer student seminars on world mission from January 2–6 and January 9–13, 2006. These two seminars present critical issues related to evangelism, theology, ethics, strategy, and spirituality. Additional information is available online at study@omsc.org, and application forms are available in the Office of Student Affairs, 210 Templeton Hall.

◆ Help Wanted

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For more information, contact Dian Wisdom at 951-9866 or dian.wisdom@ptsem.edu.

◆ Housing and Auxiliary Services Announcement

Fire Alarm System and Tampering

Fire alarm systems are put in place to protect you. Please do not tamper with any of the fire alarms, smoke detectors, exit lights, emergency lighting systems, or door closers.

The smoke detectors are sensitive; therefore, please do not burn incense, light candles, or smoke in your room—any smoke can set them off. Open flames from candles or any other source are a fire hazard and are not permitted.

Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

◆ Facilities Announcement

Pool Closing

The Seminary pool crew will perform routine maintenance on the pool on Sunday, October 9. The pool will remain closed for 24 hours and will reopen on Monday, October 10 for normal swim hours.

Contact: Susan Molloy
Phone: 497-7778

◆ Entering Class Photographs Available for Purchase

Photographs of the entering class, taken on September 13, are available for purchase at $7 each in the Office Student Affairs, 210 Templeton Hall.

Contact: Kathy Perelli
Phone: 497-7880

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Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church Community Forum Distinguished Speaker Series—"Technology as a Cultural Force"

Sanctuary, Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, 625 Montgomery Avenue, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania *7:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to a discussion presented by Albert Borgmann, Ph.D., on the topic "Technology as a Cultural Force."

Borgmann is Regents Professor of Philosophy at The University of Montana.

He will address the following questions: How is technology changing us for the better or the worse...as a society, and as individuals? Is technology morally neutral, or does it have a moral impact? How can we enjoy the benefits of technology without making it our master?

For more information, please call the church office at 610-525-2821.

◆ Sabbath Days at Johnsonburg

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Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 17 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Cari Pattison, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

8:00 p.m. **BGLASS Coffee House**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 18 Tuesday

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Timothy Matthew Slemmons, a Presbyterian scholar and Kierkegaard scholar, leader
Erdman Hall
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James Charlesworth, George L. Collord Professor of New Testament Language and Literature
Miller Chapel

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◆ 20 Thursday

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Scott Crawford, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

7:15 p.m. **Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"**
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Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

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Alpha Ensemble
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12:30 p.m. **Seminarians for Peace and Justice Weekly Meeting**
Upper Right Balcony, Main Dining Room

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This Week's ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, October 16

Lecture—"Princeton and the Founding of the Republic"

Miller Chapel *2:00 p.m.*

Mark Noll, professor of Christian thought at Wheaton College in Wheaton, Illinois, will describe the connections between college, town, and church in the era of the American Revolution. The lecture will focus on how the experiences of the Revolution worked a transforming effect on the College of New Jersey and the American Presbyterian church, of which the congregation in Princeton was an important part. In that transformation, the work of President John Witherspoon was critical, and so analyzing his many activities will be a major topic of concern.

This lecture is the first of a series sponsored by Witherspoon Street and Nassau Presbyterian Churches in celebration of 250 years of Presbyterian presence in Princeton.

Contact: James Moorhead
Phone: 497-7984

◆ Monday, October 17

BGLASS Coffee House

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *8:00 p.m.*

BGLASS will hold an informal discussion/question-and-answer meeting with faculty from the Biblical Studies Department on the issue of homosexuality. Please come with questions and be ready to enjoy some coffee and dessert.

Contact: Olivia Stewart
Phone: 616-405-6796

◆ Tuesday, October 18

Continuing Education Event—"Love Builds Up!" Kierkegaard on Preaching as Spirituality Uplifting Speech

Erdman Hall *9:00 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

Kierkegaard's thought was arguably the dominant feature on the European theological landscape during the first half of the last century, though he was most famous for, and perhaps most often misunderstood because of, his pseudonymous writings. Lesser known are the discourses (what we might call "lay sermons") he published under his own name, yet to those who are familiar with them, and to Kierkegaard himself, they best represent his own earnest (non-ironic) thought. The aim of the discourses is the loving encouragement or "upbuilding" of the reader, the "single individual," to whom the discourse is addressed directly and intimately on matters of the Christian faith, hope, and love.

This event, which includes both lecture and discussion, will (1) give an overview of Kierkegaard's total output, (2) clarify the categories at play in Kierkegaard's authorship, (3) suggest to the homiletically concerned reader possible avenues of approach and helpful reading strategies, and (4) offer norms that can guide the sermon toward the aim of spiritual formation, i.e., by means of "faith working through love."

Timothy Matthew Slemmons, a Presbyterian minister and Kierkegaard scholar, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Wednesday, October 19

Senior Placement Orientation

Stuart 6 *1:30–3:00 p.m.*

Seniors: This meeting, led by Cathy Cook Davis, director of student relations and senior placement, will orient you to the placement assistance you will need during the academic year.

Contact: Patricia Korsak
Phone: 497-7781

◆ Thursday, October 20

Continuing Education Event—"The Gospel and Public Life: Lessons from Paul's Letters to the Philippians and to Philemon"

Erdman Hall *7:15 p.m.*

Early Christians in the Roman Empire faced a pressing question: How are those who confess Jesus as Lord to live in a world that seems to be ruled by other powers—political, economic, and social?

In this final installment of the four-week course, we will examine two of Paul's shorter letters, devoting special attention to the social, political, and economic worlds of the early Christians. As we gain a deeper understanding of these letters in their ancient contexts, we will also ask how the gospel should shape the public life of Christian communities today.

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Phone: 497-7990

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Session 5 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 530–535)
October 17
Session 6 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 535–542)
October 31

Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 252-2114

◆ *Princeton Theological Review*

The *Princeton Theological Review* is a semi-annual, student-run publication that exists to serve the Seminary community by providing a resource that challenges, informs, and equips people to be more effective and faithful witnesses to the Lord Jesus Christ. The theme for the fall issue is ecclesiology. You are invited to contribute to this theme by responding to an article by writing a reflection (approximately 2,000 words), or by writing a book review. Materials must be submitted by Tuesday, November 1.

To respond to an article or to write a book review, or if you have any other questions, please contact Shelli Messner at 955-9110 for further details. Please take advantage of these opportunities to shape the growth and life of the PTS community!

◆ Help Wanted

The Carol Gray Dupree Center for Children is looking for a preschool teacher aide to work with children ages three and four. Hours needed are Monday through Friday, 10:00 a.m to 2:00 p.m., and the rate of pay is $8.50 per hour.

For more information, contact Dian Wisdom at 951-9866 or dian.wisdom@ptsem.edu.

◆ Housing and Auxiliary Services Announcement

Fire Alarm System and Tampering

Fire alarm systems are put in place to protect you. Please do not tamper with any of the fire alarms, smoke detectors, exit lights, emergency lighting systems, or door closers.

The smoke detectors are sensitive; therefore, please do not burn incense, light candles, or smoke in your room—any smoke can set them off. Open flames from candles or any other source are a fire hazard and are not permitted.

Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

◆ Entering Class Photographs Available for Purchase

Photographs of the entering class, taken on September 13, are available for purchase at $7 each in the Office Student Affairs, 210 Templeton Hall.

Contact: Kathy Perelli
Phone: 497-7880

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◆ The Symposium

The Symposium is a book club that has been meeting at the Seminary since 1935. Meetings are usually the third Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. on the Seminary campus. A variety of books are discussed in such genres as biography, history, politics, theology, philosophy, science, and others.

On Monday, October 17, Ray Olson, an elder at The First Presbyterian Church of Ewing, New Jersey, will lead a discussion on David K. Shipler's book *The Working Poor: Invisible in America* in the Lawder Conference Room of Templeton Hall.

For more information, contact the Reverend John Potter at 908-303-6657 or potterj@eclipse.net.

Off-Campus ◆ Events

◆ Sunday, October 16

Arts Festival

Abiding Presence Lutheran Church *6:00 p.m.*
2220 Pennington Road, Ewing, New Jersey

The PTS community is invited to an arts festival hosted by the Abiding Presence Lutheran Church in Ewing, New Jersey.

On Sunday, October 16 at 9:30 a.m. during the adult forum hour, Dennis Olson, PTS professor of Old Testament, will present a session titled "The Biblical Story of Jephthah's Daughter (Judges 11): Sampling Its Interpretation in Poetry, Art, and Music."

And at 6:00 p.m., Dr. Karlfried Froehlich, the Benjamin B. Warfield Professor of Ecclesiastical History Emeritus, will lecture on the topic, "The Gospel through Visual Art: Lucas Cranach—A Reformation Painter and Friend of Luther." The lecture will include visual slides to tell the story of one sixteenth-century painter's attempt to convey the powerful message of the Bible and the Reformation through visual art, and its implications for theology and the arts today.

For more information and directions, go to www.aplc-nj.org.

◆ Monday, October 17

Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church Community Forum Distinguished Speaker Series—"Technology as a Cultural Force"

Sanctuary, Bryn Mawr Presbyterian Church, 625 Montgomery Avenue, Bryn Mawr, Pennsylvania *7:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to a discussion presented by Albert Borgmann, Ph.D., on the topic "Technology as a Cultural Force."

Borgmann is Regents Professor of Philosophy at The University of Montana.

He will address the following questions: How is technology changing us for the better or the worse...as a society, and as individuals? Is technology morally neutral, or does it have a moral impact? How can we enjoy the benefits of technology without making it our master?

For more information, please call the church office at 610-525-2821.

◆ Monday, October 24

Lecture—"Evangelicals and American Politics: Assessing the Past, Scouting the Future"

Princeton University, Bowl 016 Robertson Hall *4:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to a lecture given by Michael Cromartie, vice president of the Ethics and Policy Center in Washington, D.C., and director of the Evangelical Studies Project.

For more information, contact the Center for the Study of Religion at 609-258-5545.

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Princeton Theological Seminary
October 23–29, 2005

This is Reading Week!

◆ 23 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Seminarian assistant Kelli Daniel, M.Div. senior
Princeton University Chapel

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(see "This Week's Events")

12:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m. **Journaling and Self-Integration Seminar**
Location to be determined
(see "This Week's Events")

1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. **Advanced Accordance Training for Faculty and Students**
Educational Media Studio, Ground Floor, Templeton Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 27 Thursday

10:45 a.m. (Thursday) to 3:00 p.m. (Friday) **Continuing Education Event—"Awakenings: Personal Creativity and the Senses as Avenues for Spiritual Renewal"**
Greg L. Finch, director of Wild Geese Among Us in Washington, D.C., leader
Erdman Hall
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Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

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Journaling and Self-Integration Seminar

Location to be determined *12:30–2:00 p.m.*

Learn a unique, simple, yet very powerful approach to journaling in which you dialogue with different parts of yourself. These different "voices" are already in your head, and may be arguing, leading you to feel stuck. Writing out the conversation brings perspective, insight, humor, clarity, resolution on specific issues, and a sense of self-integration. This dialogue approach is far more than venting on paper. Called "inner bonding," the dialogue helps journalers develop an internal, loving, adult voice, and provides a wonderful way to access God's wisdom as well.

The seminar is free. You may bring your lunch and please bring paper or a journal. Since the location is yet to be determined, call the Chapel Office or email Nancy Schongalla-Bowman, director of student counseling, at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu if you would like to attend the seminar.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Thursday, October 27 and Friday, October 28

Continuing Education Event—"Awakenings: Personal Creativity and the Senses as Avenues for Spiritual Renewal"

Erdman Hall
10:45 a.m. (Thursday)–3:00 p.m. (Friday)

Through sight, sound, touch, movement, and memory, participants will awaken and embrace creative resources that flow within them and throughout their places of ministry. Participants will cultivate new patterns for spiritual renewal to use in both personal and communal settings.

Greg L. Finch, director of Wild Geese Among Us in Washington, D.C., works with spiritual, educational, and medical communities. He will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Friday, October 28 through Sunday, October 30

Continuing Education Event—"One Gospel–Many Voices" Second Annual Academy of Global Song

Erdman Hall
1:30 p.m. (Friday)–12:30 p.m. (Sunday)

The second annual Academy of Global Song, "One Gospel–Many Voices," sponsored by the Mission Evangelism Office of the General Board of Global Ministries of The United Methodist Church and Con Ed, will meet on the Seminary's campus. The second academy will feature the hymns and songs of Africans and African Americans. The plenary leaders are Melva Costen, Tomas Boström, and S T Kimbrough Jr. There will also be workshops. For a conference brochure or to register, contact Con Ed.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

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Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ Monday, October 31

History Department Lecture—"Argula von Grumbach, A Woman Reformer on Reformation Day"

Main Lounge *12:30 p.m.*

Contemporary with Martin Luther, this Bavarian noblewoman exemplifies the private cost of public discipleship. Her unprecedented challenge to state, university, and church, is documented in eight fiery publications in 1523–24, but her household correspondence also reveals the day-to-day joys and agonies of a life that transgressed all conventional boundaries.

Professor Peter Matheson, lecturer, is principal emeritus of Ormond College, Melbourne University, in Australia, and has taught both in Europe and Australia. He is well-known for his translations of Thomas Müntzer and Argula von Grumbach, and has also written books and articles on a variety of subjects. Among his recent publications are *The Rhetoric of the Reformation* (1998) and *The Imaginative World of the Reformation* (2000).

Contact: Elsie McKee
Phone: 497-7989

◆ Tuesday, November 1 through Friday, December 9

Erdman Gallery Art Exhibit: "Inlet," by Elaine Chong, artist

Erdman Hall

New Jersey artist Elaine Chong explores contained energy through the use of transparent and semitransparent materials. Handmade paper, wax, and oil are layered and embedded on the surface over time, creating environments for visual exchange. Chong is assistant director of the Art Access program at the Matheny School and Hospital in Peapack, New Jersey.

Gallery hours are:

Monday–Saturday	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Sunday	2:30 to 6:30 p.m.

An artist's reception for Elaine Chong will be held on Thursday, November 10 from 4:30–5:45 p.m. in the Erdman Art Gallery.

For further information, contact the Center of Continuing Education.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Tuesday, November 1

Worship Service

Miller Chapel *1:00 p.m.*

As part of "Shaping a Community of Witnesses: A Conference on Best Practices in Christian Formation and Spiritual Leadership," sponsored by the Faithful Practices Project/Tennent School of Christian Education, the PTS community is invited to a worship service led by the Reverend Pam Driesell, pastor of Oconee Presbyterian Church in Athens, Georgia.

For more information, contact Adam Cleaveland at adam.cleaveland@ptsem.edu or 933-4000.

Other events open to the PTS community include the following four offerings:

◆ Wednesday, November 2

Lecture—"The Emerging Church and Mainline Theological Education"

Main Lounge *3:00–3:45 p.m. (reception)*
Miller Chapel *3:45–4:45 p.m. (lecture)*

The PTS community is invited to a lecture given by Brian D. McLaren, founding pastor of Cedar Ridge Community Church in Spencerville, Maryland, and a senior fellow with Emergent, a growing generative friendship of missional Christian leaders.

For more information, contact Kenda Creasy Dean, PTS associate professor of youth, church, and culture and director of the School of Christian Education.

Contact: Kenda Creasy Dean
Email: kenda.dean@ptsem.edu

◆ Wednesday, November 2

Worship Service

Miller Chapel *7:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to a worship service led by the Reverend Russell Rathbun, pastor of The House of Mercy in St. Paul, Minnesota.

For more information, contact Adam Cleaveland.

Contact: Adam Cleaveland
Phone: 933-4000
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◆ Wednesday, November 2

Pub Conversations

Triumph Brewery, 138 Nassau Street 10:00 p.m.
Princeton

The PTS community is invited to an open discussion about the emerging church.

For more information, contact Adam Cleaveland.

Contact: Adam Cleaveland
Phone: 933-4000
Email: adam.cleaveland@ptsem.edu

◆ Thursday, November 3

"Children's Sermons" Workshop

Reigner Reading Room *3:00–5:00 p.m. and 7:00–9:00 p.m.*

Sometimes the most dreaded part of Sunday morning worship for clergy and staff is the children's sermon. But it doesn't need to be dreaded at all. In this workshop we will consider the pros and cons of children's sermons and look at a variety of ways to do them with integrity for God's Word, the children and us, too.

Debbie Hough, director of Christian education at Derry Presbyterian Church in Hershey, Pennsylvania, will lead this event. She is a graduate of the Presbyterian School of Christian Education and PTS Class of 1994, and is a certified church educator and a

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member of the Association of Presbyterian Church Educators.

Refreshments will be provided. Reservations are a must.

Contact: Reigner Reading Room
Phone: 497-7916

◆ Thursday, November 3
Alternative Worship Service

Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center 9:00 p.m.

The PTS community is invited to an alternative worship service facilitated by Jonny Baker, national youth coordinator in the United Kingdom for the Church Mission Society; the Reverend Karen Ward, pastor of the Church of the Apostles in Seattle, Washington, and Adam Cleaveland, PTS dual-degree student. For more information, contact Kenda Creasy Dean, PTS associate professor of youth, church, and culture and director of the School of Christian Education.

Contact: Kenda Creasy Dean
Email: kenda.dean@ptsem.edu

◆ Saturday, November 5
Concert—"Marching to Zion: Sacred Songs from the African American Worship Experience"

Miller Chapel 7:00 p.m.

PTS presents a concert with renowned gospel musician William Heard (Class of 2004), pianist Michael Gittens, and the Seminary's Cantate Domino Choir. The concert will feature African American songs of worship.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Wednesday, November 9
Informational Meeting on Mental Health

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall 1:30 p.m.

A student-led meeting will focus on several mental health issues that can and do affect students and spouses at PTS. Many students explain away symptoms as "just stress" and suffer unnecessarily because they don't get help. The onset for many mental illnesses is between the ages of 20–30, so it is important for students to be alert even if they have not dealt with a mental illness before. Seasonal depression (also known as Seasonal Affective Disorder) will impact an estimated 20 percent of people in this latitude as a result of less sunlight in winter. Generalized Anxiety Disorder is on the rise in the United States. Even if mental illness doesn't directly affect you, you probably have at least one friend who deals with a mental health challenge daily.

Come and learn more about these mental health issues. Contact the Chapel Office or Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu with questions.

Contact: Chapel Office
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◆ Thursday, November 10
M.S.W. Informational Dinner

Private Dining Room 5:00–7:00 p.m.

Did you know that PTS offers M.Div. students the opportunity to pursue a Master of Social Work degree in conjunction with Rutgers University? Please join us for this informational dinner that will host speakers from Rutgers and PTS to answer your questions. Reservations are required, so please R.S.V.P. no later than Wednesday, November 9.

Contact: Aylce O'Rourke
Phone: 497-7822

◆ Friday, November 11
Chaplains' Day Luncheon

Private Dining Room 12:30 p.m.

On Friday, November 11, as part of the Seminary's annual recognition of military chaplains, the Seminary will host a lunch and reception for area chaplains. Chaplain Dennis Kitterman (Class of 1982) is the guest of honor and will speak at the chapel service. Students interested in learning about military chaplaincy should contact the Office of Student Affairs to reserve a place at the luncheon.

Contact: Kathy Perelli
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Alcoholics Anonymous

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This meeting will be for members of the Seminary community and will not be open to the general public. There is no fee and a commitment to confidentiality. Watch the *Wineskin* for details or contact Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu.

Overeaters Anonymous

Two students are forming an Overeaters Anonymous (OA) group open to students and spouses. OA is a nonprofit organization patterned after the 12 steps of Alcoholics Anonymous that offers a three-fold recovery program—physical, emotional, and spiritual—for the disease of compulsive overeating. The OA program is an anonymous fellowship open to any person with an eating disorder or weight problem. There are no dues or fees, no weight scales or food plans. Recovery comes from joining together to share experiences, strength and hope with one another.

At an OA meeting participants may be extremely overweight, only moderately overweight, average weight, or underweight. Some maintain periodic control over their eating behavior and others are totally unable to control compulsive eating. Symptoms may vary including obsession with body weight, size, and shape; eating binges; grazing; preoccupation with reducing diets; starving; excessive exercise; diet pills; vomiting after eating; constant preoccupation with food; and using food as a reward or comfort. Whatever the symptoms, through following an OA program of recovery, many people have achieved their desired weight and maintained it, and have learned to address their needs in healthier ways.

Confidentiality is expected of participants. The group will meet in the seminar room in the basement of Miller Chapel from 8:55–9:55 a.m. on Wednesdays beginning Wednesday, October 26.

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Contact: Patricia Korsak
Email: patricia.korsak@ptsem.edu

◆ The Café

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Contact: Monet Rice
Phone: 205-233-0364

◆ The Writing Center

The Writing Center is up and running and ready to help you with your papers. Tutors are available Monday through Friday, 1:30–4:30 p.m. in Stuart 8, and Monday through Thursday, 7:00–10:00 p.m. in Stuart 17. Hours are now available at the CN Center on the West Windsor campus, Monday through Thursday, 7:00–9:00 p.m. Why not take advantage of this free opportunity to improve your writing?

Contact: Cari Patterson
Phone: 430-8401

◆ Episcopal Student Fellowship Morning Prayer

Are you Episcopalian/Anglican? Are you curious about Anglican worship? Come participate in morning prayer! The Episcopal Student Fellowship will be meeting every weekday at 7:20 a.m. in the Gambrell Room of Scheide Hall to join together in morning prayer. All are welcome!

Contact: David Komline
Phone: 908-616-1110

Off-Campus ◆ Events

◆ Monday, October 24

Lecture—"Evangelicals and American Politics: Assessing the Past, Scouting the Future"

Princeton University, Bowl 016 *4:30 p.m.*
Robertson Hall

The PTS community is invited to a lecture given by Michael Cromartie, vice president of the Ethics and Policy Center in Washington, D.C., and director of the Evangelical Studies Project.

For more information, contact the Center for the Study of Religion at 609-258-5545.

◆ Tuesday, November 1

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Princeton Theological Seminary
October 30–November 5, 2005

◆ 30 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Dean Thomas Breidenthal
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 31 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Nicole Massie, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **History Department Lecture—"Argula von Grumbach, A Woman Reformer on Reformation Day"**
Professor Peter Matheson, principal emeritus of Ormond College, Melbourne University, in Australia, lecturer
Main Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

8:00 p.m. **BGLASS Halloween Party**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 1 Tuesday

Erdman Gallery Art Exhibit: "Inlet" by Elaine Chong, artist
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Sarah Hinlicky Wilson, Ph.D. candidate
Miller Chapel

8:00 p.m. **Students Affirming Reproductive Choices Monthly Meeting**
Alexander Hall Oratory
(see "This Week's Events")

1:00 p.m. **Worship Service**
The Reverend Pam Driesell, pastor of Oconee Presbyterian Church in Athens, Georgia, preacher
Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 2 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Peter Allen, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

Committee and Departmental Meetings

1:30 p.m. History Department, *Stevenson Lounge, Mackay Campus Center*
1:30 p.m. Biblical Department, *Alexander Hall Oratory*
1:30 p.m. Theology Department, *Stuart 14*
1:30 p.m. Practical Theology Department *Luce 156*
4:00 p.m. Church and Society Committee *Luce 268*
4:00 p.m. Barth Center Governors, *Luce 350*

3:00 p.m. (reception)
3:45 p.m. (lecture) **Lecture—"The Emerging Church and Mainline Theological Education"**
Brian D. McLaren, founding pastor of Cedar Ridge Community Church in Spencerville, Maryland, and a senior fellow with Emergent, lecturer
Main Lounge and Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

7:30 p.m. **Worship Service**
The Reverend Russell Rathbun, pastor of The House of Mercy in St. Paul, Minnesota, preacher
Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 p.m. **Pub Conversations**
Triumph Brewery, 138 Nassau Street
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 3 Thursday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
La-Tonia Middleton, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

3:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. **"Children's Sermons" Workshop**
Debra Hough, director of Christian education at Derry Presbyterian Church in Hershey, Pennsylvania, leader
Reigner Reading Room, Speer Library
(see "This Week's Events")

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9:00 p.m. **Alternative Worship Service**
Jonny Baker, national youth coordinator in the United Kingdom for the Church Mission Society; the Reverend Karen Ward, pastor of the Church of the Apostles in Seattle, Washington; and Adam Cleaveland, PTS dual-degree student, facilitators
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
(see "This Week's Events")

◆4 Friday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Eleanor Norman, dual-four degree student
Miller Chapel

◆5 Saturday

7:30 p.m. **Concert—"Marching to Zion: Sacred Songs from the African American Worship Experience"**
PTS alum and renowned gospel singer William Heard; pianist Michael Gittens; and Cantate Domino Choir
Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

Regularly Scheduled ❖ Meetings

The Café
Sunday–Thursday *8:00 p.m. to 12:00 a.m.*
Main Dining Room

Episcopal Student Fellowship Morning Prayer
Monday–Friday *7:20 a.m*
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall

The Writing Center
Monday–Friday *1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.*
Stuart 8
Monday–Thursday *7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.*
Stuart 17
Monday–Thursday *7:00–9:00 p.m.*
CN Center, West Windsor Campus

Seminarians for Peace and Justice Weekly Meeting
Friday *12:30 p.m.*
Upper Right Balcony, Main Dining Room

Submit notices online! Deadline, Mondays at noon.
http://home.ptsem.edu/wineskin/request_form.htm

Continuing Education Events

PTS students, staff, and faculty, and their spouses are invited to attend Continuing Education events, but advanced registration is required. Most events are free of charge, but some restrictions do apply. Please contact Continuing Education for more information.

This Week's ❖ Events

◆ Monday, October 31
History Department Lecture—"Argula von Grumbach, A Woman Reformer on Reformation Day"
Main Lounge *12:30 p.m.*

Contemporary with Martin Luther, this Bavarian noblewoman exemplifies the private cost of public discipleship. Her unprecedented challenge to state, university, and church is documented in eight fiery publications in 1523–24, but her household correspondence also reveals the day-to-day joys and agonies of a life that transgressed all conventional boundaries.

Professor Peter Matheson, lecturer, is principal emeritus of Ormond College, Melbourne University, in Australia, and has taught both in Europe and Australia. He is well known for his translations of Thomas Müntzer and Argula von Grumbach, and has also written books and articles on a variety of subjects. Among his recent publications are *The Rhetoric of the Reformation* (1998) and *The Imaginative World of the Reformation* (2000).

Contact: Elsie McKee
Phone: 497-7989

◆ Monday, October 31
BGLASS Halloween Party
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *8:00 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to a Halloween party sponsored by BGLASS. Come hang out, decorate a pumpkin, eat some candy, and drink some mulled cider. Everyone is welcome!

Contact: Olivia Stewart
Email: olivia.stewart@ptsem.edu

◆ Tuesday, November 1 through Friday, December 9
Erdman Gallery Art Exhibit: "Inlet," by Elaine Chong, artist
Erdman Hall

New Jersey artist Elaine Chong explores contained energy through the use of transparent and semitransparent materials. Handmade paper, wax, and oil are layered and embedded on the surface over time, creating environments for visual exchange. Chong is assistant director of the Art Access program at the Matheny School and Hospital in Peapack, New Jersey.

Gallery hours are:

Monday–Saturday	8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Sunday	2:30 to 6:30 p.m.

An artist's reception for Elaine Chong will be held on Thursday, November 10 from 4:30–5:45 p.m. in the Erdman Art Gallery.

For further information, contact the Center of Continuing Education.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Tuesday, November 1
Worship Service
Miller Chapel *1:00 p.m.*

As part of "Shaping a Community of Witnesses: A Conference on Best Practices in Christian Formation and Spiritual Leadership," sponsored by the Faithful Practices Project/Tennent School of Christian Education, the PTS community is invited to a worship service led by the Reverend Pam Driesell, pastor of Oconee Presbyterian Church in Athens, Georgia.

For more information, contact Adam Cleaveland at adam.cleaveland@ptsem.edu or 933-4000.

◆ Tuesday, November 1
Students Affirming Reproductive Choices (SARC) Monthly Meeting
Alexander Hall Oratory *8:00 p.m.*

Please come to SARC's second monthly meeting where we will discuss plans for the two delegates who are going to the Students for Choice (S4C) convention in Washington, D.C. in two weeks. We will also review our annual calendar. Please call Laurie McKnight with any questions.

Contact: Laurie McKnight
Phone: 799-5794

◆ Wednesday, November 2
Lecture—"The Emerging Church and Mainline Theological Education"
Main Lounge *3:00–3:45 p.m. (reception)*
Miller Chapel *3:45–4:45 p.m. (lecture)*

The PTS community is invited to a lecture given by Brian D. McLaren, founding pastor of Cedar Ridge Community Church in Spencerville, Maryland, and a senior fellow with Emergent, a growing generative friendship of missional Christian leaders.

For more information, contact Kenda Creasy Dean, PTS associate professor of youth, church, and culture and director of the School of Christian Education.

Contact: Kenda Creasy Dean
Email: kenda.dean@ptsem.edu

◆ Wednesday, November 2
Worship Service
Miller Chapel *7:30 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to a worship service led by the Reverend Russell Rathbun, pastor of The House of Mercy in St. Paul, Minnesota.

For more information, contact Adam Cleaveland.

Contact: Adam Cleaveland
Phone: 933-4000
Email: adam.cleaveland@ptsem.edu

◆ Wednesday, November 2
Pub Conversations
Triumph Brewery, 138 Nassau Street 10:00 p.m.
Princeton

The PTS community is invited to an open discussion about the emerging church.

For more information, contact Adam Cleaveland.

Contact: Adam Cleaveland
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Email: adam.cleaveland@ptsem.edu

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◆Thursday, November 3
"Children's Sermons" Workshop
Reigner Reading Room *3:00–5:00 p.m. and*
Speer Library *7:00–9:00 p.m.*

Sometimes the most dreaded part of Sunday morning worship for clergy and staff is the children's sermon. But it doesn't need to be dreaded at all. In this workshop we will consider the pros and cons of children's sermons and look at a variety of ways to do them with integrity for God's Word, the children, and the preacher.

Debra Hough, director of Christian education at Derry Presbyterian Church in Hershey, Pennsylvania, will lead this event. She is a graduate of the Presbyterian School of Christian Education and PTS Class of 1994, and is a certified church educator and a member of the Association of Presbyterian Church Educators. She is also an adjunct faculty member at Lancaster Theological Seminary

Refreshments will be provided. Reservations are a must.

Contact: Reigner Reading Room
Phone: 497-7916

◆ Thursday, November 3
Alternative Worship Service
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center *9:00 p.m.*

The PTS community is invited to an alternative worship service facilitated by Jonny Baker, national youth coordinator in the United Kingdom for the Church Mission Society; the Reverend Karen Ward, pastor of the Church of the Apostles in Seattle, Washington; and Adam Cleaveland, PTS dual-degree student. For more information, contact Kenda Creasy Dean, PTS associate professor of youth, church, and culture and director of the School of Christian Education.

Contact: Kenda Creasy Dean
Email: kenda.dean@ptsem.edu

◆ Saturday, November 5
Concert—"Marching to Zion: Sacred Songs from the African American Worship Experience"
Miller Chapel *7:30 p.m.*

PTS presents a concert with renowned gospel musician William Heard (Class of 2004), pianist Michael Gittens, and the Seminary's Cantate Domino Choir. The concert will feature African American songs of worship.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ Monday, November 7
Continuing Education Event—"Preaching from Galatians"
Erdman Hall *9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

This seminar will focus on the issue of how to preach the Pauline doctrine of justification by faith to people in a postmodern world. Issues of hermeneutics and exegesis will be addressed.

Thomas W. Gillespie, president emeritus and professor of New Testament emeritus, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Monday, November 7 and Tuesday, November 8
Continuing Education Event—"The Soul of Leadership: Spiritual Practices for Personal and Communal Life"
Erdman Hall
9:30 a.m. (Monday)–12:15 p.m. (Tuesday)

This retreat seminar for clergy and lay leaders will develop contemplative life and leadership in order to restore the soul of ministry—the integrity, passion, and wholeness of Christ.

Kent Ira Groff, who served parishes for 20 years and is the founding mentor of Oasis Ministries for Spiritual Development in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Wednesday, November 9 and Thursday, November 10
Continuing Education Event—"Pre-Marital Counseling: Engaging and Launching Couples into Faith-Filled Futures"
Erdman Hall
10:45 a.m. (Wednesday)–3:00 p.m. (Thursday)

This workshop is designed to enhance a pastor's skills and proficiencies in parish-based pre-marital counseling.

Lauren J. McFeaters, associate pastor of Nassau Presbyterian Church in Princeton, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Wednesday, November 9
Informational Meeting on Mental Health
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *1:30 p.m.*

A student-led meeting will focus on several mental health issues that can and do affect students and spouses at PTS. Many students explain away symptoms as "just stress" and suffer unnecessarily because they don't get help. The onset for many mental illnesses is between the ages of 20–30, so it is important for students to be alert even if they have not dealt with a mental illness before. Seasonal depression (also known as Seasonal Affective

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Disorder) will affect an estimated 20 percent of people in this latitude as a result of less sunlight in winter. Generalized Anxiety Disorder is on the rise in the United States. Even if mental illness doesn't directly affect you, you probably have at least one friend who deals with a mental health challenge daily.

Come and learn more about these mental health issues. Contact the Chapel Office or Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu with questions.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Wednesday, November 9

History Department Lecture—"Islam in America"

Main Lounge *7:00 p.m.*

Sheikh Hamad Chebli, imam of the Islamic Society of Central Jersey, will speak on the topic "Islam in America." Imam Chebli, who has taught and has led worship at the Seminary, holds a master's degree in Islamic studies with a specialization in Islamic canonical law from Al-Azhar University in Cairo, Egypt.

For more information, contact Professor Richard Young.

Contact: Richard Young
Phone: 497-7775
Email: richard.young@ptsem.edu

◆ Thursday, November 10

M.S.W. Informational Dinner

Private Dining Room *5:00–7:00 p.m.*

Did you know that PTS offers M.Div. students the opportunity to pursue a Master of Social Work degree in conjunction with Rutgers University? Please join us for this informational dinner that will host speakers from Rutgers and PTS to answer your questions. Reservations are required, so please R.S.V.P. no later than Wednesday, November 9.

Contact: Aylce O'Rourke
Phone: 497-7822

◆ Friday, November 11

Chaplains' Day Luncheon

Private Dining Room *12:30 p.m.*

On Friday, November 11, as part of the Seminary's annual recognition of military chaplains, the Seminary will host a lunch and reception for area chaplains. Chaplain Dennis Kitterman (Class of 1982) is the guest of honor and will speak at the chapel service. Students interested in learning about military chaplaincy should contact the Office of Student Affairs to reserve a place at the luncheon.

Contact: Kathy Perelli
Phone: 497-7880

◆ Saturday, November 12

Ha!Man U.S. Tour 2005 Musical Presentation by Francois le Roux

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *7:30 p.m.*

Ha!Man Francois le Roux will perform a spontaneous concert of cello music, whistling, and dance inspired by his native South Africa. After years of carving out a minimalist and nomadic existence as a solo traveling performer in South Africa, le Roux now has a strong following as a performer in South Africa and Europe. Come and enjoy the fresh and accessible approach to classical and popular musical styles through the Ha! way of spontaneous expression. To visit le Roux's web site, go to www.hamanworld.com.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Sunday, November 13

PTS Fellowship Luncheon at Nassau Presbyterian Church

Assembly Room, Nassau *12:15 p.m.*
Presbyterian Church, 61 Nassau Street, Princeton

Attention all PTS students, faculty, administrators, and staff, who visit, attend, or are members of Nassau Presbyterian Church! You are invited to attend a free fellowship luncheon immediately following the second service on Sunday, November 13. This is a great opportunity to connect with the many members of the PTS community who worship together at Nassau Presbyterian. Reservations are appreciated. Please contact Shannon Smythe.

Contact: Shannon Smythe
Phone: 240-2109

◆ Wednesday, November 16

The Frederick Neumann Memorial Lecture—"Re-forming Congregations in a Time of Global Change"

Main Lounge *7:00 p.m.*

Dr. John W. de Gruchy, this year's lecturer, is professor emeritus of Christian studies and formerly director of the Graduate School in Humanities at the University of Cape Town, South Africa, where he taught for more than 30 years. During that period he was also associate minister of the Rondebosch United Church. He has two doctoral degrees, one in theology and one in social science, and is internationally known for his contribution to the study of Dietrich Bonhoeffer's theology, the history of the church and public theology in South Africa, and, more recently, theology and art. He gave the Warfield Lectures at PTS in 1990. He is senior research associate at the University of Cape Town and an honorary professor at the University of Stellensbosch.

Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

General ❖ Notices

◆ Karl Barth Student Reading Group

Center of Theological Inquiry 7:30–9:00 p.m.
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

All Seminary students, including M.Div., Ph.D., and others, are invited to take part in the Karl Barth Student Reading Group held on selected Mondays of the fall semester. The topic for the reading group is *Church Dogmatics,* volume two, part two, pages 509–542. This is the section on Theocentric Ethics: The Command of God. George Hunsinger, PTS's McCord Professor of Systematic Theology, will be the convener. The remaining session is as follows:

Session 6 *Church Dogmatics,* II/2 (pp. 535–542)
October 31

Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 252-2114

◆ Student Counseling Announcements

Mindfulness Meditation and Stress Reduction

Students in this eight-week, experiential, psycho-educational group will learn and practice mindfulness meditation techniques as a method of coping with stress and anxiety. Mindfulness meditation is a way of observing oneself that allows the individual to begin to experience thoughts and feelings as transitory, and apart from the self. With practice, this provides a way to take a step back, view the situation as it really is, and choose more healthy/less stressful options. The group size is limited to eight participants.

Dr. Ralph Piper, a former Princeton University McCosh counselor, will lead the group. There will be a reasonable participation fee. The group will meet in the Student Government Room in the Mackay Campus Center from 7:00–8:15 p.m. on Mondays. Register through the Chapel Office at 497-7890. Direct your questions to Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu.

Exploring Cybersexuality

Dr. Ralph Piper, a former Princeton University McCosh counselor, will lead this confidential group on Tuesday evenings from 6:30–7:45 p.m. in his Princeton office located at 145 Witherspoon Street. It is suited for individuals who wish to examine their relationships with sex, the web, impulsivity, anxiety, and their faith. In a nonjudgmental atmosphere, participants can explore the thoughts and feelings that may lead them to compulsively use outlets such as internet pornography. The group size is limited to six participants. There will be a reasonable participation fee. To register, you may contact Dr. Piper directly at ralphpiper2@comcast.net or Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu. Your privacy will be protected.

Alcoholics Anonymous

An Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) group is forming at PTS that will provide peer support for any who struggle with compulsive drinking or think they may be at risk for alcohol dependency. Some say, "I only drink on weekends," or "I never drink alone," or "I only drink wine," or "I can go weeks without alcohol." If you drink more than you plan to, if drinking has caused problems with studies, relationships, with a job, or with the law, consider attending an AA meeting.

This meeting will be for members of the Seminary community and will not be open to the general public. There is no fee, and there is a commitment to confidentiality. Watch the *Wineskin* for details or contact Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu.

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For more information, contact David Carlson at david.carlson@ptsem.edu or just come to a meeting.

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See www.clc.pcusa.org, CIF #4581.

Wednesday, November 9
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Red Clay Creek Presbyterian Church
Wilmington, Delaware
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Please contact Patricia Korsak in the Student Relations and Senior Placement Office to schedule an interview.

Contact: Patricia Korsak
Email: patricia.korsak@ptsem.edu

◆ Housing and Auxiliary Services Announcement

Fall Blood Drive

The Seminary will hold its annual fall blood drive on Wednesday, November 9 in the Main Lounge from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please contact the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services to schedule an appointment.

Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

◆ *Princeton Theological Review*

The *Princeton Theological Review* is a semi-annual, student-run publication that exists to serve the Seminary community by providing a resource that challenges, informs, and equips people to be more effective and faithful witnesses to the Lord Jesus Christ. The theme for the fall issue is ecclesiology. You are invited to contribute to this theme by responding to an article by writing a reflection (approximately 2,000 words), or by writing a book review. Materials must be submitted by Tuesday, November 1.

To respond to an article or to write a book review, or if you have any other questions, please contact Shelli Messner at 955-9110 for further details. Please take advantage of these opportunities to shape the growth and life of the PTS community!

Off-Campus ◆ Events

◆ Tuesday, November 1

Mark Taylor New Book Release Event and Book Signing

Barnes & Noble Booksellers *7:00 p.m.*
MarketFair, 3535 US Route 1 South, Princeton

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For more information about the book signing, call 609-716-1570.

◆ Thursday, November 10

Lecture—"The Religious Right Controls America and Other Myths from the Campaign"

Princeton University, Bowl 016 *4:30 p.m.*
Robertson Hall

The PTS community is invited to a lecture given by Hanna Rosin, staff writer for *The Washington Post.*

For more information, contact the Center for the Study of Religion at 609-258-5545.

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Princeton Theological Seminary
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◆ 6 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Holy Communion**
All Saints Sunday
Dean Deborah K. Blanks
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 7 Monday

9:30 a.m. **Continuing Education Event—**
"Preaching from Galatians"
Thomas W. Gillespie, president emeritus and professor of New Testament emeritus, leader
Erdman Hall
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9:30 a.m. (Monday) to 12:15 p.m. (Tuesday) **Continuing Education Event—**
"The Soul of Leadership: Spiritual Practices for Personal and Communal Life"
Kent Ira Groff, founding mentor of Oasis Ministries for Spiritual Development in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, leader
Erdman Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Neil Arner, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

7:00 p.m. **Asian American Program Lecture Series—"The Mental Health of Asian Americans: Case Studies"**
Jean Young Lee, a psychologist at Johns Hopkins University Counseling Center in Baltimore, Maryland
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

9:00 p.m. **Seminarians for Life Informational Gathering**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 8 Tuesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Imani Jones, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **V-Day and *Vagina Monologues* Informational Meeting**
Women's Center, Basement of Mackay Campus Center
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 9 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Katharine Doob Sakenfeld, William Albright Eisenberger Professor of Old Testament Literature and Exegesis and director of Ph.D. Studies
Miller Chapel

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Private Dining Room

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Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
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1:30 p.m. Admissions Committee, *Templeton 302*
1:30 p.m. Chapel Committee, *Seminar Room, Miller Chapel*
1:30 p.m. Library Committee, *Luce 156*
1:30 p.m. Planning and Development Committee, *President's Conference Room, Administration Building*
3:30 p.m. D.Min. Studies Committee, *Luce 268*
3:30 p.m. Ph.D. Studies Committee, *Stuart 14*
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Miller Chapel
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◆11 Friday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Lieutenant Colonel Dennis Kitterman, USAF Wing chaplain at Hanscom Air Force Base, Massachusetts
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Chaplains' Day Luncheon**
Chaplain Dennis Kitterman, speaker
Private Dining Room
(see "This Week's Events")

◆12 Saturday

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CN Center, West Windsor Campus

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◆ Monday, November 7

Continuing Education Event—"Preaching from Galatians"

Erdman Hall *9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.*

This seminar will focus on the issue of how to preach the Pauline doctrine of justification by faith to people in a postmodern world. Issues of hermeneutics and exegesis will be addressed.

Thomas W. Gillespie, president emeritus and professor of New Testament emeritus, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Monday, November 7 and Tuesday, November 8

Continuing Education Event—"The Soul of Leadership: Spiritual Practices for Personal and Communal Life"

Erdman Hall

9:30 a.m. (Monday)–12:15 p.m. (Tuesday)

This retreat seminar for clergy and lay leaders will develop contemplative life and leadership in order to restore the soul of ministry—the integrity, passion, and wholeness of Christ.

Kent Ira Groff, who served parishes for 20 years and is the founding mentor of Oasis Ministries for Spiritual Development in Camp Hill, Pennsylvania, will lead this event.

Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ Monday, November 7

Asian American Program Lecture Series—"The Mental Health of Asian Americans: Case Studies"

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *7:00–9:00 p.m.*

As part of the Asian American Program lecture series, the Asian American Program is pleased to offer a lecture on "The Mental Health of Asian Americans: Case Studies." Jean Young Lee, a psychologist at Johns Hopkins University Counseling Center in Baltimore, Maryland, will speak.

For more information, contact Moses Kang in the Asian American Program Office.

Contact: Moses Kang
Phone: 497-7887

◆ Monday, November 7

Seminarians for Life Informational Gathering

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *9:00 p.m.*

This is the first meeting of the year for the newly reorganized Seminarians for Life. We will be discussing the revised focus and mission of this PTS organization as well as answering any questions attendees may have about life issues in ministry. Seminarians for Life wishes to create a safe and supportive place on campus for open discussion about life issues, such as but not restricted to: euthanasia, abortion, birth control, fertility treatments, care for the disabled, poverty/hunger awareness, single parenthood, abstinence, hospice care, and HIV/AIDS education. We wish to educate each other about life issues and how we can best minister to the faith community about these hotly debated and politicized topics. This meeting is open to everyone in the PTS community.

Contact: Cynthia Betz
Phone: 973-960-2977

◆ Tuesday, November 8 and Wednesday, November 9

V-Day and *Vagina Monologues* Informational Meetings

Women's Center, Basement of Mackay Campus Center *12:30–1:30 p.m.*

What is V-Day? V-Day is a global movement to end violence against women and girls that raises funds and awareness through benefit productions of playwright/founder Eve Ensler's award-winning play *The Vagina Monologues*. In 2005, more than 2,500 V-Day events took place in the United States and around the world. The PTS Women's Center first participated in 2004 with the first-ever production of *The Vagina Monologues* on the Seminary's campus. To date, V-Day has raised more than $30 million and educated millions about the issues of violence against women and the efforts to end it; crafted international educational media and public service announcement campaigns; reopened shelters; and funded safe houses in Kenya, South Dakota, Egypt, and Iraq, and more than 5,000 community-based anti-violence programs. The "V" in V-Day stands for victory, valentine, and vagina. For more information about V-Day, visit www.vday.org.

What is the College Campaign? The V-Day College Campaign strives to empower women to find their collective voices and demand an end to the epidemic levels of violence and abuse on their campuses, in their communities, and around the world. Through benefit productions of *The Vagina Monologues* on or around V-Day (February 14), they raise money and awareness to stop violence against women and girls. The proceeds from these events are donated directly to local organizations in the community that are working to stop this violence.

The Women's Center hopes to hold a second successful V-Day campaign here at PTS this coming February. Please join us during lunch on either Tuesday, November 8 or Wednesday, November 9 to find out more about how you can get involved, or contact Amy Morgan if you would like to participate but are unable to attend either meeting.

Contact: Amy Morgan
Phone: 917-902-4846

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◆ **Wednesday, November 9 and Thursday, November 10**
Continuing Education Event—"Pre-Marital Counseling: Engaging and Launching Couples into Faith-Filled Futures"
Erdman Hall
10:45 a.m. (Wednesday)–3:00 p.m. (Thursday)
This workshop is designed to enhance a pastor's skills and proficiencies in parish-based pre-marital counseling.
Lauren J. McFeaters, associate pastor of Nassau Presbyterian Church in Princeton, will lead this event.
Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ **Wednesday, November 9**
Informational Meeting on Mental Health
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *1:30 p.m.*
A student-led meeting will focus on several mental health issues that can and do affect students and spouses at PTS. Many students explain away symptoms as "just stress" and suffer unnecessarily because they don't get help. The onset for many mental illnesses is between the ages of 20–30, so it is important for students to be alert even if they have not dealt with a mental illness before. Seasonal depression (also known as Seasonal Affective Disorder) will affect an estimated 20 percent of people in this latitude as a result of less sunlight in winter. Generalized Anxiety Disorder is on the rise in the United States. Even if mental illness doesn't directly affect you, you probably have at least one friend who deals with a mental health challenge daily.
Come and learn more about these mental health issues. Contact the Chapel Office or Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu with questions.
Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ **Wednesday, November 9**
History Department Lecture—"Islam in America"
Main Lounge *7:00 p.m.*
Sheikh Hamad Chebli, imam of the Islamic Society of Central Jersey, will speak on the topic "Islam in America." Imam Chebli, who has taught and has led worship at the Seminary, holds a master's degree in Islamic studies with a specialization in Islamic canonical law from Al-Azhar University in Cairo, Egypt.
For more information, contact Professor Richard Young.
Contact: Richard Young
Phone: 497-7775
Email: richard.young@ptsem.edu

◆ **Thursday, November 10**
Artist's Reception for Elaine Chong
Erdman Art Gallery *4:30–5:45 p.m.*
An artist's reception will be held in the Erdman Art Gallery for artist Elaine Chong.
Contact: Center of Continuing Education
Phone: 497-7990

◆ **Thursday, November 10**
M.S.W. Informational Dinner
Private Dining Room *5:00–7:00 p.m.*
Did you know that PTS offers M.Div. students the opportunity to pursue a Master of Social Work degree in conjunction with Rutgers University? Please join us for this informational dinner that will host speakers from Rutgers and PTS to answer your questions. Reservations are required, so please R.S.V.P. no later than Wednesday, November 9.
Contact: Aylce O'Rourke
Phone: 497-7822

◆ **Thursday, November 10**
An Evening with Professor Peter J. Paris—"The Spirituality of African Peoples with a Focus on African Canadians"
Miller Chapel *7:00–8:30 p.m.*
The Association of Black Seminarians (ABS) invites the Seminary community to a lecture given by Peter J. Paris, the Elmer G. Homrighausen Professor of Christian Social Ethics and Liaison with the Princeton University African American Studies Program. The lecture will be preceded by worship, including liturgical dance by Movements of Praise.
Contact: Christopher O'Neal Jones
Phone: 558-9522

◆ **Friday, November 11**
Chaplains' Day Luncheon
Private Dining Room *12:30 p.m.*
On Friday, November 11, as part of the Seminary's annual recognition of military chaplains, the Seminary will host a lunch and reception for area chaplains. Chaplain Dennis Kitterman (Class of 1982) is the guest of honor and will speak at the chapel service. Students interested in learning about military chaplaincy should contact the Office of Student Affairs to reserve a place at the luncheon.
Contact: Kathy Perelli
Phone: 497-7880

◆ **Saturday, November 12**
Ha!Man U.S. Tour 2005 Musical Presentation by Francois le Roux
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *7:30 p.m.*
Ha!Man Francois le Roux will perform a spontaneous concert of cello music, whistling, and dance inspired by his native South Africa. After years of carving out a minimalist and nomadic existence as a solo traveling performer in South Africa, le Roux now has a strong following as a performer in South Africa and Europe. Come and enjoy the fresh and accessible approach to

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classical and popular musical styles through the Ha! way of spontaneous expression. To visit le Roux's web site, go to www.hamanworld.com.

Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, November 13

PTS Fellowship Luncheon at Nassau Presbyterian Church

Assembly Room, Nassau *12:15 p.m.*
Presbyterian Church, 61 Nassau Street, Princeton

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Contact: Shannon Smythe
Phone: 240-2109

◆ Monday, November 14

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Contact: Michael Hegeman
Phone: 497-7929

◆ Tuesday, November 15

"Conversations in Communion"—Teach-In on the Peace, Unity, and Purity of the Church Report

Main Lounge *7:00 p.m.*

Join Presbyterians for Renewal for an evening of community, dialogue, and worship, as the report of the Theological Task Force on Peace, Unity, and Purity of the Church is discussed. Panelists include Stacy Johnson, the Arthur M. Adams Associate Professor of Systematic Theology; Gordon Mikoski, assistant professor of Christian education; the Reverend Scott Collins-Jones, pastor of Woodland Presbyterian Church of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; the Reverend David Prince, pastor emeritus of the Presbyterian Church of Ewing, New Jersey, and visiting lecturer in Presbyterian Church polity at PTS; and Joyce Emery, executive presbyter of New Brunswick Presbytery.

Contact: Nicole Howard
Phone: 945-0721

◆ Wednesday, November 16

The Frederick Neumann Memorial Lecture—"Re-forming Congregations in a Time of Global Change"

Main Lounge *7:30 p.m.*

Dr. John W. de Gruchy, this year's lecturer, is professor emeritus of Christian studies and formerly director of the Graduate School in Humanities at the University of Cape Town, South Africa, where he taught for more than 30 years. During that period he was also associate minister of the Rondebosch United Church. He has two doctoral degrees, one in theology and one in social science, and is internationally known for his contribution to the study of Dietrich Bonhoeffer's theology, the history of the church and public theology in South Africa, and, more recently, theology and art. He gave the Warfield Lectures at PTS in 1990. He is senior research associate at the University of Cape Town and an honorary professor at the University of Stellensbosch.

Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

◆ Wednesday, November 16

Holocaust Discussion with Dr. Paul Winkler

Stuart 1 *7:00–8:00 p.m.*

Dr. Paul Winkler, executive director of the New Jersey Commission for Holocaust Education, will be on campus to speak with the Seminary community about the Holocaust. He will provide information about the Holocaust and will be glad to answer any questions.

Contact: Kathy Perelli
Phone: 497-7880

◆ Friday, November 18

Book Release and Conversation with Dr. Laura Smit—"The Ethics of Unrequited Love"

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *12:30–1:30 p.m.*

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Come and converse with Smit about her book, her

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work as an academic, and her life as a pastor.
Contact: Women's Center
Phone: 240-2054

General ❖ Notices

◆ Housing and Auxiliary Services Announcement

Fall Blood Drive

The Seminary will hold its annual fall blood drive on Wednesday, November 9 in the Main Lounge from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Please contact the Office of Housing and Auxiliary Services to schedule an appointment.
Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Thursday, November 10

Lecture—"The Religious Right Controls America and Other Myths from the Campaign"

Princeton University, Bowl 016 *4:30 p.m.*
Robertson Hall

The PTS community is invited to a lecture given by Hanna Rosin, staff writer for *The Washington Post.*

For more information, contact the Center for the Study of Religion at 609-258-5545.

◆ Currently on Display through Saturday, December 31

Hurricane Katrina Photography Exhibit by Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Volunteers

conTEMPORARY Art Center, The Arts Council of Princeton, Princeton Shopping Center, 301 North Harrison Street, Princeton

The Seminary community is invited to view a photography exhibit by Presbyterian Disaster Assistance volunteers returning from Mississippi, including Rose Chan, PTS Class of 2004, at The Arts Council of Princeton's temporary location at the Princeton Shopping Center.

The exhibit's purpose is to tell the story of how Hurricane Katrina affected people living in the South and to encourage others to get personally involved. The exhibit is free and will run through Saturday, December 31.

Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. For more information, contact The Arts Council of Princeton at 924-8777.

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◆ 13 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Interfaith Service for Peace**
The Reverend Dr. Robert W. Edgar, general secretary of the National Council of Churches USA
Princeton University Chapel

12:15 p.m. **PTS Fellowship Luncheon at Nassau Presbyterian Church**
Assembly Room, Nassau Presbyterian Church, 61 Nassau Street, Princeton
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◆ 14 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Rebecca Gillespie, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

12:40 p.m. **Wholistic Health Initiative Meeting**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
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◆ 15 Tuesday

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Kristin Saldine, minister of the chapel
Miller Chapel

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The Reverend Dr. Thomas J. Hastings, professor of practical theology at Tokyo Union Theological Seminary in Tokyo, Japan, presenter
Speer 203–204
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◆17 Thursday

Princeton Seminar on campus through Sunday, November 20
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Miller Chapel

◆ 18 Friday

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Main Lounge

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Contact: Shannon Smythe
Phone: 240-2109

◆ Monday, November 14

Wholistic Health Initiative Meeting

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *12:40 p.m.*

Please join the members of the Wholistic Health Initiative as they plan upcoming activities and follow-up after the Eighth Annual Wholistic Health Fair.

The Wholistic Health Initiative, a student group begun in 2001, assists members of the PTS community in the development of values, habits, and a lifestyle that supports health in all of its dimensions. Please contact Bill McLean with any questions.

Contact: Bill McLean
Email: william.mclean@ptsem.edu

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Phone: 497-7929

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Contact: Nicole Howard
Phone: 945-0721

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Hastings, along with his wife and their four children, have been PCUSA mission coworkers in Japan since 1988. He has a Ph.D. from PTS (Class of 2004), and, in addition to numerous articles in Japanese and English, his book *Practical Theology and the One Body of Christ* will be published by Eerdmans in 2006.

Come for a lively discussion and enjoy Indian snacks and beverages.

Contact: La Seng Dingrin
Phone: 267-934-4259

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Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

◆ **Thursday, November 17 through Sunday, November 20**
Princeton Seminar
Thursday, 10:00 a.m.–Sunday, 12:30 p.m.
Please greet and meet our Princeton Seminar guests, who will be on campus enjoying the third seminar for prospective students of this academic year.
Contact: Violet Hertrich or Victor Aloyo
Phone: 688-1940

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Contact: Women's Center
Phone: 240-2054

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Asian Association at PTS Crosscultural Discussion
Women's Center 12:30–1:30 p.m.
Basement of Mackay Campus Center
Come and hear PTS seniors share their experiences serving in Asian American churches. Bring your questions for discussion and your willingness to learn.
Contact: Cathy Chang
Phone: 937-0838

Upcoming ❖ Events

◆ **Thursday, December 8**
Episcopal Student Fellowship Advent Gathering
Home of Ellen Charry 5:30 p.m.
104 Mercer Street, Princeton
Episcopal/Anglican students (and others who are interested) are invited to an Advent gathering of the Episcopal Student Fellowship at the home of Dr. Ellen Charry. The evening will begin with a Eucharist at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner and conversation at 6:00 p.m. Please contact David Komline by email before Thursday, December 1 if you would like to attend.
Contact: David Komline
Email: david.komline@ptsem.edu

General ❖ Notices

◆ **Student Counseling Announcements**
Mindfulness Meditation and Stress Reduction
Students in this eight-week, experiential, psycho-educational group will learn and practice mindfulness meditation techniques as a method of coping with stress and anxiety. Mindfulness meditation is a way of observing oneself that allows the individual to begin to experience thoughts and feelings as transitory, and apart from the self. With practice, this provides a way to take a step back, view the situation as it really is, and choose more healthy/less stressful options. The group is limited to eight participants.

Dr. Ralph Piper, a former Princeton University McCosh counselor, will lead the group. There will be a reasonable participation fee. The group will meet on Mondays in the Student Government Room in the Mackay Campus Center from 7:00–8:15 p.m. beginning Monday, November 28. Register through the Chapel Office at 497-7890. Direct your questions to Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu.

Exploring Cybersexuality
Dr. Ralph Piper, a former Princeton University McCosh counselor, will lead this confidential group on Tuesday evenings beginning Tuesday, November 22 from 6:30–7:45 p.m. in his Princeton office located at 145 Witherspoon Street. It is suited for individuals who wish to examine their relationships with sex, the web, impulsivity, anxiety, and their faith. In a nonjudgmental atmosphere, participants can explore the thoughts and feelings that may lead them to compulsively use outlets such as internet pornography. The group is limited to six participants. There will be a reasonable participation fee. To register, you may contact Dr. Piper directly at ralphpiper2@comcast.net or Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu. Your privacy will be protected.

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Alcoholics Anonymous

An Alcoholics Anonymous (AA) group is forming at PTS that will provide peer support for any who struggle with compulsive drinking or think they may be at risk for alcohol dependency. Some say, "I only drink on weekends," or "I never drink alone," or "I only drink wine," or "I can go weeks without alcohol." If you drink more than you plan to, if drinking has caused problems with studies, relationships, with a job, or with the law, consider attending an AA meeting.

This meeting will be for members of the Seminary community and will not be open to the general public. There is no fee, and there is a commitment to confidentiality. Watch the *Wineskin* for details or contact Nancy Schongalla-Bowman at nancy.schongalla@ptsem.edu.

Overeaters Anonymous

Two students are forming an Overeaters Anonymous (OA) group open to students and spouses. OA is a nonprofit organization patterned after the 12 steps of Alcoholics Anonymous that offers a three-fold recovery program—physical, emotional, and spiritual—for the disease of compulsive overeating. The OA program is an anonymous fellowship open to any person with an eating disorder or weight problem. There are no dues or fees, no weight scales or food plans. Recovery comes from joining together to share experiences, strength, and hope with one another.

At an OA meeting participants may be extremely overweight, only moderately overweight, average weight, or underweight. Some maintain periodic control over their eating behavior and others are totally unable to control compulsive eating. Symptoms may vary, including obsession with body weight, size, and shape; eating binges; grazing; preoccupation with reducing diets; starving; excessive exercise; diet pills; inducing vomiting after eating; constant preoccupation with food; and using food as a reward or comfort. Whatever the symptoms, through following an OA program of recovery, many people have achieved their desired weight and maintained it, and have learned to address their needs in healthier ways.

Confidentiality is expected of participants. The group meets in the seminar room in the basement of Miller Chapel from 8:55–9:55 a.m. on Wednesdays.

For more information, contact David Carlson at david.carlson@ptsem.edu or just come to a meeting.

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Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Currently on Display through Saturday, December 31

Hurricane Katrina Photography Exhibit by Presbyterian Disaster Assistance Volunteers

conTEMPORARY Art Center, The Arts Council of Princeton, Princeton Shopping Center, 301 North Harrison Street, Princeton

The Seminary community is invited to view a photography exhibit by Presbyterian Disaster Assistance volunteers returning from Mississippi, including Rose Chan, PTS Class of 2004, at The Arts Council of Princeton's temporary location at the Princeton Shopping Center.

The exhibit's purpose is to tell the story of how Hurricane Katrina affected people living in the South and to encourage others to get personally involved. The exhibit is free and will run through Saturday, December 31.

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Gallery hours are Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m., and Saturday 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. For more information, contact The Arts Council of Princeton at 924-8777.

◆ Thursday, November 17

Public Lecture—"Urban Injustice, Hunger, and Homelessness Awareness Week"

McCormick 101, Princeton University Art Museum *7:30 p.m.*

Dr. David Hilfiker, author of *Urban Injustice,* will speak at Princeton University as part of the Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week. Hilfiker, a medical doctor, has lived and practiced medicine in Washington, D.C. at Christ House, a medical recovery shelter for homeless men. He also founded Joseph's House, a community and hospice for men living and dying with AIDS. He brings more than 20 years' experience in these programs to his writing and his speaking on the issues of urban poverty.

The Crisis Ministry is a cosponsor of the event and encourages you to attend to learn more. There will be a reception in Murray Dodge Hall immediately following the talk. For more information, call 396-9355, extension 12.

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November 20–26, 2005

◆ **20 Sunday**
11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Dean Thomas Breidenthal
Princeton University Chapel

◆ **21 Monday**
10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Denise Pass, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

◆ **22 Tuesday**
10:00 a.m. **Thanksgiving Hymn Sing**
Miller Chapel

◆ **24 Thursday**
11:00 a.m. **The Princeton Community Interfaith Thanksgiving Service**
The Reverend Dr. Leslie Smith, speaker
Princeton University Chapel

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Continuing Education Events

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Contact: Krista Wuertz
Email: krista.wuertz@ptsem.edu

◆ Thursday, December 1
"Looking Forward—Reaching Back"—Fiftieth Anniversary of the Montgomery Bus Boycott
Mackay Auditorium *7:00–8:30 p.m.*
Take a study break and join fellow students in reflecting on one of the most important events of the 20th century! Student reflections will be offered and the PTS Gospel Choir will sing. Come pray together about racial justice and share a growing vision for an ongoing racial dialogue and justice group here at PTS. All are welcome. This event is sponsored by the Association of Black Seminarians and Seminarians for Peace and Justice.
Contact: Jessica Doerrer
Email: jessica.doerrer@ptsem.edu

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Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

◆ Thursday, December 8

Episcopal Student Fellowship Advent Gathering

Home of Ellen Charry *5:30 p.m.*
104 Mercer Street, Princeton

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Contact: Amanda Cenker
Phone: 497-7970

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Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

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Princeton Theological Seminary
November 27–December 3, 2005

◆ 27 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Dean Thomas Breidenthal
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 28 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Jeremy Sanderson, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

7:00 p.m. **Asian Association at PTS Christmas Worship Service**
Adams House Lounge
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 29 Tuesday

8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. **Theological Student Advisory Delegates Election**
201 Templeton Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Shanell T. Smith, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

8:00 p.m. **Seminarians for Peace and Justice—"Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People"**
Main Lounge
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◆ 30 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Advent Hymn Sing
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

1:00 p.m. **Wholistic Health Initiative Meeting**
Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall
(see "This Week's Events")

Committee and Departmental Meetings

1:30 p.m. History Department, *Stevenson Lounge, Mackay Campus Center*
1:30 p.m. Biblical Department, *Alexander Hall Oratory*
1:30 p.m. Theology Department, *Stuart 14*
1:30 p.m. Practical Theology Department *Luce 156*
4:00 p.m. Barth Center Governors, *Luce 350*
4:00 p.m. Church and Society Committee *Luce 268*

◆ 1 Thursday

Princeton Seminar on campus through Sunday, December 4
(see "This Week's Events")

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Janette Ok, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

◆ 2 Friday

7:00 p.m. **Movements of Praise—"Joy to the World! A Christmas Liturgical Dance Concert"**
Miller Chapel
(see "This Week's Events")

◆ 3 Saturday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Tim Hughes, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

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Theological Student Advisory Delegates Election

201 Templeton Hall *8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.*

Election of Theological Student Advisory Delegates (TSADs) to the 217th General Assembly of the PCUSA to be held June 15–22, 2006, in Birmingham, Alabama, will take place on Tuesday, November 29. PCUSA students who are either inquirers or candidates in preparation for ministry under care of a presbytery, and who will have at least one year of study remaining in their degree program after the Assembly meets, are eligible to be TSADs. Application forms are available in the Office of Student Relations and Senior Placement, and must be submitted before the end of the workday on Monday, November 28. The election will take place on Tuesday, November 29 in 201 Templeton Hall and in the Mackay Campus Center during the lunch hour. Please contact Carol Belles or Cathy Cook Davis with any questions about the process.

Contact: Carol Belles
Phone: 497-7882

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◆ Wednesday, November 30
Wholistic Health Initiative Meeting

Gambrell Room, Scheide Hall *1:00 p.m.*

Please join members of the Wholistic Health Initiative as they plan activities for the spring semester and wrap-up the Wholistic Health Fair.

The Wholistic Health Initiative, a student group begun in 2001, assists members of the PTS community in the development of values, habits, and a lifestyle that supports health in all its dimensions. Please contact Bill McLean with any questions.

Contact: William McLean
Email: william.mclean@ptsem.edu

◆ Thursday, December 1 through Sunday, December 4
Princeton Seminar

Thursday, 10:00 a.m.–Sunday, 12:30 p.m.

Please greet and meet our Princeton Seminar guests, who will be on campus enjoying the fourth seminar for prospective students of this academic year.

Contact: Violet Hertrich or Victor Aloyo
Phone: 688-1940

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Speer Library

Chrismons are a type of symbolism of the church year—decorations used in many churches and often in the homes of Christians. Chrismons (CHRISt MONograms) are ornaments that proclaim our Lord Jesus Christ through the use of symbols.

Join us for this special event and learn the stories about each symbol and make a set of Chrismons to take home with you. Refreshments will be served.

All PTS students, faculty, and families are welcome. Children under eight years old must be accompanied by an adult. For more information and to make your reservation, call the Reigner Reading Room at 497-7916.

Contact: Donna Potts
Phone: 497-7930

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Women's Center—"Blessing and Being Blessed by Mary"

Main Lounge *7:00 p.m.*

Beverly Roberts Gaventa, PTS's Helen H.P. Manson Professor of New Testament Literature and Exegesis, will share insights on the presentations of Mary in the canonical Gospels. An informal discussion will follow on ways in which we can, as Protestants, learn to bless Mary and be blessed by her in our own lives and work this Advent season and throughout the year.

Contact: Amy Morgan
Phone: 917-902-4846

◆ Thursday, December 8

Public Lecture—"Scientific Perspectives on Theological Anthropology"

Center of Theological Inquiry *8:00 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

Nancey Murphy, professor of Christian philosophy at Fuller Theological Seminary, will give a lecture titled "Scientific Perspectives on Theological Anthropology." Murphy serves on the board of the Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences at Berkeley, and is a member of the planning committee for conferences on science and theology, sponsored by the Vatican Observatory. Admission is free by ticket. To obtain a ticket for the lecture or for more information, contact Heather Kaemingk.

Contact: Heather Kaemingk
Phone: 683-4797
Email: hkaemingk@ctinquiry.org

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◆ Thursday, December 8 and Saturday, December 10

Drama Production—*The Laramie Project*

Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center 8:00 p.m.

In a quest to understand how a town, and more generally, a nation deals with hatred, a group of young actors and writers from New York traveled to Laramie, Wyoming, to examine the events surrounding the 1998 murder of Matthew Shepard, a young gay student at the University of Wyoming. The result was *The Laramie Project,* a play presented by PTS's student organization BGLASS in conjunction with Dramatists Play Services, Inc.

Local theatrical director Sean Walsh will direct the play, with Seminary students Tim Hughes, Joe Kramp, Suzette Stone, Carmen Goetschius, Drew Ditzel, Jill Rumpf, Katie Walsh, Hillary Lefensty, Rachel Smith, Julie Hoplamazian, Garrett Bugg, Liam O'Donnell, Matt Webber, Nick Preuninger, David Smith, and Emily Wilmarth, and PTS professor Jacqueline Lapsley performing. Tickets are $5 for general admission or $3 for students, and are available an hour before each performance on a first-come, first-served, basis.

For more information, contact Sean Walsh, producer and director, or Dana Walsh, comoderator of BGLASS.

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Phone: 497-7730

Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Wednesday, November 30

Public Lecture—"No Man Is an Island: The Individual and Community in Catholic Social Thought"

McCosh 10, Princeton University 8:00 p.m.

The Aquinas Institute at Princeton University is sponsoring a lecture on Catholic social thought, by Jeanne Heffernan, a professor in Villanova University's Department of Humanities and Augustinian Traditions, and affiliate professor in Villanova's School of Law.

John Donne poetically reflected, "No man is an island." Jean Paul Sartre pointedly replied, "Hell is other people." Both were responding to the fact of human individuation, on the one hand, and interdependence, on the other. Heffernan will explore the resources in Catholic social thought for understanding the relationship between the individual and the community and for articulating a vision of social life that honors both the individual and communal nature of human experience.

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Lecture II: "Imperial Globalization and the Poor"
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◆ 7 Wednesday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Deborah van Deusen Hunsinger, associate professor of pastoral theology
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Faculty Lunch**
Private Dining Room

Committee and Departmental Meetings

1:30 p.m. Admissions Committee
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◆ 8 Thursday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Iain Torrance, president and professor of patristics
Miller Chapel

12:30 p.m. **Lunchtime Forum—"Stories from Our Neighbors in the Global Church"**
Main Lounge
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5:30 p.m. **Episcopal Student Fellowship Advent Gathering**
Home of Ellen Charry, 104 Mercer Street, Princeton
(see "This Week's Events")

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Beverly Roberts Gaventa, Helen H.P. Manson Professor of New Testament Literature and Exegesis, speaker
Main Lounge
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8:00 p.m. **Public Lecture—"Scientific Perspectives on Theological Anthropology"**
Nancey Murphy, professor of Christian philosophy at Fuller Theological Seminary, lecturer
Center of Theological Inquiry 50 Stockton Street, Princeton
(see "This Week's Events")

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8:00 p.m. **Drama Production—*The Laramie Project***
Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center
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Amy DeBaets, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

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This Week's ❖ Events

◆ Monday, December 5 and Tuesday, December 6

Students' Lectureship on Missions—"Imperial Globalization and the Globalization of Solidarity"

Main Lounge

Dr. C. René Padilla, this year's Missions Lecturer, is president emeritus of the Kairos Foundation and director of *Ediciones Kairos* in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Padilla was on the staff of the International Fellowship of Evangelical Students (IFES) for more than twenty years, first as traveling secretary, then as general secretary for Latin America, and finally as director of *Ediciones Certeza,* the IFES publishing house in Buenos Aires. For eight years he was the general secretary of the Latin American Theological Fraternity (FTL), and since 1992 he has been working with the Kairos Community, mainly as a publisher. He has traveled extensively, teaching and lecturing in universities, seminaries, and colleges. His best-known work, *Mission between the Times,* has been published in English, Spanish, Portuguese, German, French, Swedish, and Korean.

The lecture schedule is as follows:

Lecture I
Monday, December 5 at 7:00 p.m., followed by a reception in the Private Dining Room
"The Historical Development of Imperial Globalization"

Lecture II
Tuesday, December 6 at 1:15 p.m.
"Imperial Globalization and the Poor"

Lecture III
Tuesday, December 6 at 7:00 p.m.
"Imperial Globalization and Integral Mission"

For more information, please contact the Communications/Publications Office.

Contact: Communications/Publications Office
Phone: 497-7760

◆ Thursday, December 8

Lunchtime Forum—"Stories from Our Neighbors in the Global Church"

Main Lounge *12:30–1:30 p.m.*

Come hear PTS international students share what is going on in their home churches. Bring your lunch and join Presbyterians for Renewal at PTS for stories about the global church.

Contact: Nicole Howard
Phone: 945-0721

◆ Thursday, December 8

Episcopal Student Fellowship Advent Gathering

Home of Ellen Charry *5:30 p.m.*
104 Mercer Street, Princeton

Episcopal/Anglican students (and others who are interested) are invited to an Advent gathering of the Episcopal Student Fellowship at the home of Dr. Ellen Charry. The evening will begin with a Eucharist at 5:30 p.m., followed by dinner and conversation at 6:00 p.m.

Contact: David Komline
Email: david.komline@ptsem.edu

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Beverly Roberts Gaventa, PTS's Helen H.P. Manson Professor of New Testament Literature and Exegesis, will share insights on the presentations of Mary in the canonical Gospels. An informal discussion will follow on ways in which we, as Protestants, can learn to bless Mary and be blessed by her in our own lives and work this Advent season and throughout the year.

Contact: Amy Morgan
Phone: 917-902-4846

◆ Thursday, December 8

Public Lecture—"Scientific Perspectives on Theological Anthropology"

Center of Theological Inquiry *8:00 p.m.*
50 Stockton Street, Princeton

Nancey Murphy, professor of Christian philosophy at Fuller Theological Seminary, will give a lecture titled "Scientific Perspectives on Theological Anthropology." Murphy serves on the board of the Center for Theology and the Natural Sciences at Berkeley, and is a member of the planning committee for conferences on science and theology, sponsored by the Vatican Observatory. Admission is free and open to the public. For more information, contact Heather Kaemingk.

Contact: Heather Kaemingk
Phone: 683-4797
Email: hkaemingk@ctinquiry.org

◆ Thursday, December 8 and Saturday, December 10

Drama Production—*The Laramie Project*

Auditorium, Mackay Campus Center *8:00 p.m.*

In a quest to understand how a town and, more generally, a nation deals with hatred, a group of young actors and writers from New York traveled to Laramie, Wyoming, to examine the events surrounding the 1998 murder of Matthew Shepard, a young gay student at the University of Wyoming. The result was *The Laramie Project,* a play that will be presented by PTS's student organization BGLASS in conjunction with Dramatists Play Services, Inc.

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Local theatrical director Sean Walsh will direct the play, with Seminary students Tim Hughes, Joe Kramp, Suzette Stone, Carmen Goetschius, Drew Ditzel, Jill Rumpf, Katie Walsh, Hillary Lenfesty, Rachel Smith, Julie Hoplamazian, Garrett Bugg, Liam O'Donnell, Matt Webber, Nick Preuninger, David Smith, and Emily Wilmarth, and PTS professor Jacqueline Lapsley performing. Tickets are $5 for general admission or $3 for students, and are available an hour before each performance on a first-come, first-served basis.

For more information, contact Sean Walsh, producer and director, or Dana Walsh, comoderator of BGLASS.

Contact: Sean Walsh or Dana Walsh
Email: swalsh320@yahoo.com or dana.walsh@ptsem.edu.

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Contact: Jill Aylard
Email: jill.aylard@ptsem.edu

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Contact: Kathy Perelli
Phone: 497-7880

◆ Wednesday, December 14

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Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

◆ Friday, December 16

Movie Presentation—*A Child of Our Time*

Stuart 6 11:40 a.m.–1:00 p.m.

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Contact: Ellen Charry
Phone: 921-0682

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Contact: Rosemary Myer
Phone: 497-7730

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Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Sunday, December 4

Documentary Film—*Dear Francis*

Jurow Lecture Hall, 101 Silver Center 2:15 p.m.
New York University, New York City

The United Nations has declared the small African kingdom of Swaziland to be the world's most HIV-infected nation, with nearly 40 percent of its adult population carrying the virus.

Shortly after the official declaration, Lance and Kelly, two Texas college students with high ideals, great hopes, and a bit of naiveté embark on a most unconventional AIDS prevention program to Swaziland. *Dear Francis* chronicles the personal stories of two strangers and the Swazis they befriend. Through these relationships, they discover that the causes of this plague are much more disturbing and complex than they could have ever imagined.

This showing is part of the New York AIDS Film festival. For more information, go to www.newyorkaidsfilmfestival.org.

◆ Friday, December 16

Raritan Valley Choral Society presents "A Gospel Christmas"

St. Joseph's Church and Parish Center 7:30 p.m.
34 Yorktown Road, Millstone, New Jersey

The Raritan Valley Choral Society invites the PTS community to a gospel Christmas featuring renowned gospel singer Deborah Ford with a choir, the Riverside Singers and the Riverside Quartet.

Tickets will be available at the door and the

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suggested donation is $12 for adults and $10 for seniors and students.

For more information, directions, or requests for special needs, please call 908-281-8509 or email rvchoralsociety@musician.org, or visit their web site at www.princetonol.com/rvchoralsociety.

◆ **"Saul Kripke: Philosophy, Language and Logic—A Celebration of His Work"**
City University of New York Graduate Center, 365 Fifth Avenue, New York

The Ph.D./M.A. Program in Philosophy at the City University of New York Graduate Center will host a two-day celebration of the work of distinguished professor Saul Kripke, on the occasion of his sixty-fifth birthday on Wednesday, January 25 and Thursday, January 26.

Participants will include Alan Berger from Brandeis University, Michael Devitt from City University of New York Graduate Center, Sally McConnell-Ginet from Cornell University, Scott Soames from the University of Southern California, Nathan Salmon from the University of Southern California, Santa Barbara, Scott Weinstein from the University of Pennsylvania, and George Wilson from the University of Southern California.

Further details (including times and titles of talks) will be posted as they become available, or contact John Greenwood at jgreenwood@gc.cuny.edu with any questions.

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Princeton Theological Seminary
December 11–17, 2005

◆ 11 Sunday

11:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Iain R. Torrance
Princeton University Chapel

◆ 12 Monday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Jeremy Watson, M.Div. senior
Miller Chapel

◆ 13 Tuesday

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Paul Rorem, Benjamin B. Warfield Professor of Medieval Church History
Miller Chapel

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◆ 14 Wednesday

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Miller Chapel
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10:00 p.m. **The Southern Society Christmas Sing-along**
Hodge Hall Grand Staircase
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◆ 15 Thursday

10:00 a.m. **Service of Worship**
Jon Hauerwas, M.Div. senior
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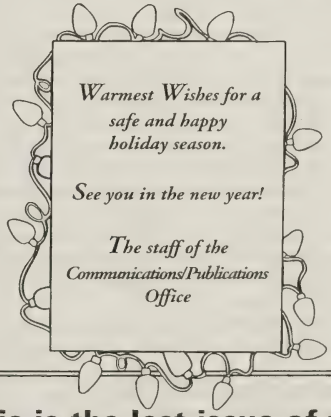

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Email: jill.aylard@ptsem.edu

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Contact: Chapel Office
Phone: 497-7890

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The Southern Society Christmas Sing-along

Hodge Hall Grand Staircase 10:00 p.m.

The Southern Society of PTS invites the Seminary community to a Christmas sing-along immediately following the 8:30 p.m. Lessons and Carols service.

Come one, come all—let us continue to adore Him in song and fellowship. Hot cider and eggnog will be served. Stop by for five minutes or stay for two hours.

Contact: Garrett Bugg
Email: garrett.bugg@ptsem.edu

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Stuart 6 (unless otherwise noted)

The PTS community is invited to attend free of charge "Theology, International Law, and Torture"—A Conference on Human Rights and Religious Committment. The conference will be convened by George Hunsinger, the Hazel Thompson McCord Professor of Systematic Theology at PTS, and is sponsored by Church Folks for a Better America, Human Rights First, and The Churches' Center for Theology and Public Policy. The schedule is as follows:

Friday, January 13
1:00–2:30 p.m.
Panel: "Law, Morality, and Torture"

3:30–5:00 p.m.
Panel: "Government and Military Issues"

7:30–9:30 p.m.
Plenary Address: Mark Danner, author of *Torture and Truth*

Saturday, January 14
8:30–10:00 a.m.
Panel: "Theology, Ethics, and Human Rights"

11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.
Plenary: Abdullahi Ahmed An-Na'i, Emory Law School

3:30–5:00 p.m.
Plenary: William T. Cavanuagh, author of *Torture and Eucharist*

7:30–9:00 p.m. (Erdman Hall)
Video: *Weapons of the Spirit,* The story of Le Chambon

Sunday, January 15
10:00–11:30 a.m.
Panel: "Inter-Religious Concerns"

For more information, contact George Hunsinger.
Contact: George Hunsinger
Phone: 497-252-2114

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◆ New Film Release—*Sophie Scholl: The Final Days*

Zeitgeist Films presents a new film about the true story of Sophie Scholl, a passionate young German woman—and a Christian—who helped mount an underground resistance movement against the Nazis, and who became one of the heroines of modern German history.

In 1943, as Adolf Hitler wages war across Europe, a group of German college students who call themselves the White Rose try to fight the monolithic Third Reich. One of the group's few female members, Sophie Scholl, is captured while she is distributing pamphlets on campus with her brother Hans. In the film, her cross-examination by the Gestapo escalates into a searing contest of wills as she delivers her passionate call to freedom and personal responsibility.

Winner of three German Oscars including Best Actress, and Germany's official Foreign Language Film selection for the 2005 Academy Awards, the film will be released in theaters nationwide in early 2006. More information is available at www.zeitgeistfilms.com.

◆ David H.C. Read Preacher/Scholar Award

Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church announces the David H.C. Read Preacher/Scholar Award to recognize excellence among seminarians who show outstanding promise as preachers and biblical scholars. PTS is permitted two nominees for this $10,000 prize. Applicants must be currently in their final year of the M.Div. program, scheduled to receive their degrees by June 2006, and committed to serving in a parish ministry. To be considered for nomination, please submit a typed, double-spaced sermon to Lois Haydu in Templeton 103 by **Friday, December 16.** A committee of the preaching faculty will select the two PTS nominees. The students selected will then be required to submit additional materials (including two sermons and two exegetical papers) to the Preacher/Scholar Award Committee. Winners will be determined and announced by Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church on or about April 30, 2006.

Off-Campus ❖ Events

◆ Friday, December 16

Raritan Valley Choral Society presents "A Gospel Christmas"

St. Joseph's Church and Parish Center 7:30 p.m.
34 Yorktown Road, Millstone, New Jersey

The Raritan Valley Choral Society invites the PTS community to a gospel Christmas featuring renowned gospel singer Deborah Ford with a choir, the Riverside Singers and the Riverside Quartet.

Tickets will be available at the door and the suggested donation is $12 for adults and $10 for seniors and students.

For more information, directions, or requests for special needs, please call 908-281-8509 or email rvchoralsociety@musician.org, or visit their web site at www.princetonol.com/rvchoralsociety.

◆ "Saul Kripke: Philosophy, Language, and Logic—A Celebration of His Work"

City University of New York Graduate Center
365 Fifth Avenue, New York

The Ph.D./M.A. Program in Philosophy at the City University of New York Graduate Center will host a two-day celebration of the work of distinguished professor Saul Kripke, on the occasion of his sixty-fifth birthday on Wednesday, January 25 and Thursday, January 26.

Participants will include Alan Berger from Brandeis University, Michael Devitt from City University of New York Graduate Center, Sally McConnell-Ginet from Cornell University, Scott Soames from the University of Southern California, Nathan Salmon from the University of Southern California, Santa Barbara, Scott Weinstein from the University of Pennsylvania, and George Wilson from the University of Southern California.

Further details (including times and titles of talks) will be posted as they become available, or contact John Greenwood at jgreenwood@gc.cuny.edu with any questions.